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The Tea Market

Sluggishness
Foreign Buying
Lack Of Demand

Although bookings for green and black teas have been fairly good during the past few weeks, the tea market has been sluggish, without much change in prices, being almost entirely affected by the close of the season. Foreign buying is not large and these buyers are inclined to "shop around" for their needs. Taken altogether, it my be stated that there is not so much a desire to beat down prices as a lack of general demand from the real consumers.

The pace of offerings in certain grades has increased moderately while in others there is a distinct shortage, holders apparently being determined to obtain higher prices for their stocks. This is particularly noticeable in the case of Pingsueys, the dealers holding out for better values. The stocks of this grade of tea are estimated at present at about some 29,000 boxes. Since the opening of the season there have been sold of Pingsueys some 139,638 boxes, the consignments to Shanghai during the period being about 169,554 boxes. Buyers of Chinese tea appear willing to take their time about purchases and to be quite content to get along with present deliveries and small forward bookings. The rate of shipments of China tea continue irregular, with markets sluggish. There is little change from week to week, and improvements will be shown when stocks in London and on the Continent begin to fall off a bit.

STOCKS FALL OFF

Neither the current demand for black and greens nor the stocks in Shanghai is of any importance. Perhaps the best business is being done in Pingsueys, there being a slight advance recorded during the past month in this grade. A few days ago the holders decided to go better in their prices and are quoting just now some two taels higher for the balance of their stocks. Buyers of Pingsueys are making low prices a factor in their trading, but will probably come to see that they cannot get this grade at previous rates. Buying would have been on a heavier scale but for this sudden appreciation in the local market. The fact is to be taken into consideration that stocks in the hands of the dealers are falling off and represent at the present moment a holding of not more than 30,000 boxes. It is probably this that has prompted the Chinese, tentatively to raise their prices.

Since the season opened there have been settled some 139,638 boxes of Pingsueys and 55,467 half-chests of Hoochows. In the case of the latter blend there are not more than some 6,000 half chests in stock at present. The immediate future revolves around two factors, one the condition of the stock abroad, and the other, the attitude of the buyers in the immediate future. The bulk of the crop has already been settled. Thus far it has been more or less satisfactory. The unknown quantity at present is the demand from Russia and the Continental markets in general.

BUSINESS FALLS OFF

Compared with the previous month there is a considerable falling off in business. This is attributed to nervousness of European and American markets over the high export figures of the season, which has developed a tendency on the part of buyers in Europe and America to cover before placing orders. Both London and New York report inactive markets for China teas, and consequently the Shanghai and Hankow markets are affected. Prices in London are firm, and remain unchanged at 27d. to 31d. per pound for finest Souchong, 13d. to 34d. per pound for medium to finest Keemun, 11d. per pound for Moning, 10d. to 24d. per lb. for Gunpowder, 10d. to 24d. per pound for common to finest Chunmees, and 5d. per lb. for Sowmees.

The lack of demand has brought about a decline in Hankow black teas to the extent of some two taels. Stocks at Hankow are not excessive, being estimated at some 30,00 half-chests of Hankow tea. The third crop of Hankows is very poor, a large exporter going so far as to state that of Ontans and Shuntams (Hankow teas) it would be extremely difficult to dispose of the holdings, as the quality is unattractive for export markets.

There has been a good demand for Ningchow black teas, the present supplies not being considered large. There are in the neighbourhood of some 5,500 half-chests. There have been exported up till now, since the season opened, some 37,000 half-chests. The present holdings in this grade comprise mostly Monings and Kiukiangs. Light-leaf thin liquoring Shuntams are quoted at Tls. 18.50. The Continental buyers bought in Shanghai some 15,000 packages of black teas last month.

In green teas the export is being interfered with by the appreciated values demanded by teamen. The

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Weather

Overcast and mild weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 68.7 and the minimum 36.2, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 65.2 and 47.6.

The Mail Box

MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Str. E. of Canada, Nov. 19.
FROM U. S. and Europe, Str. Pres. McKinley, Nov. 15.
FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Malwa, 10.30 a.m. today.
FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Kaiser-I-Hind, Nov. 21.

LUDENDORFF IS SUICIDE, SAYS RUMOR IN BAVARIA

Takes Own Life When Coup Fails, Is Report

MUNICH IS QUIET

Reich Regains Full Control—Proclaim Martial Law

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Nov. 11.—It is rumored from Munich that General Von Ludendorff, following the collapse of the Nationalist coup in which he took part, committed suicide. There is no confirmation available for the report as yet, but friends of the former commander of the German armies declare that they would not be surprised if he had taken his own life.

The government of Premier Von Knilling is now in complete control at Munich. Quiet has been restored in the city, but a state of siege has been proclaimed. A summary tribunal has been established for the punishment of those who took part in the revolt. Curfew regulations are in effect between 8 o'clock at night and 6 o'clock in the morning, and all of the cafes are forced to close at 7 o'clock at night.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Nov. 11.—It is semi-officially stated that, replying to the French Ambassador's representations with regard to the threatened establishment of a military dictatorship in Germany, the Chancellor declared that, if the German extremists had gained ground, that was due to the desperate situation of Germany, and M. Poincare could end this situation.

Dr. Stresemann, referring to the Rhineland, complained that "a small separatist minority, composed largely of persons from the lowest criminal classes, had been allowed to create disturbances with impunity." The whole economic position of the Rhine and the Ruhr nad become worse since passive resistance had ceased. The financial position of Germany had become more catastrophic. The German Government after the introduction of a fixed currency was no longer able to raise large sums for the Rhine and the Ruhr. The Munich affair had showed that the Government was able to suppress movements based on force, but such movements would not have occurred if since the peace every German Government had not had vainly to strive for tolerable conditions.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 11.—It is reported from Duesseldorf that the progress of the Separatists is continuing in the Palatinate. The gendarmerie at Spire, entrenched in the prefecture, have accepted the ultimatum of the Separatists and have surrendered their arms to the occupation authorities. The Rhineland Republic has been proclaimed at Brahm and Linz. A lorry, belonging to the Separatists, was attacked at Brahm and Langerdrer. Provision stores at Rothausen were pillaged. The Tresmonia and Aisertuhl mines have dismissed their employees.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Nov. 10.—Martial law has been proclaimed throughout Bavaria. The rebels will be court-martialled and will not be released on parole, as General von Ludendorff has been.

Accounts of the fight at Munich show that confusion generally prevailed. Motorcars, filled with armed Nationalists, dashed about the center of the town. Troops and police, fully equipped for war, carried out clearing-up operations. Herr Hitler's band was entrenched behind barbed wire at the Ministry of War.

Officers on both sides were endeavoring to effect a peaceful settlement, when an armoured-car suddenly opened machine-gun fire, causing many casualities. The remainder of Herr Hitler's force fled. Isolated units were rounded up and disarmed.

Serious Consequences Feared As Result Of Crown Prince's Flight

Prompt Action By All Of The Powers Needed To Check Former German Royalty, Is View In Paris—Dutch Are Held Responsible

(Exclusive China Press)

Paris, Nov. 10.—Official circles consider the escape of the former German Crown Prince from Holland as most serious and likely to cause further difficulties in the reactions between Germany and the Allies. Prompt action by all of the Powers to assure the return of the former heir to the German throne is deemed essential to prevent the affair from assuming alarming proportions. The Allies, it is said here, are determined that none of the members of the former royal family will be allowed to remain in Germany.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 11.—The Belgian Telegraphic Agency recalls that, when the Government of the Hague refused to deliver up the ex-Kaiser to be tried by the Allies, it recognised in a letter, addressed to the President of the Supreme Council dated March 2, 1920, the duties imposed upon it by the presence of the ex-Kaiser in the territory of the Kingdom as much from a point of view of the country itself as from that of international security. The letter added that, mindful of these duties, the Government would take every effective and necessary measure of precaution and would confine the liberty of the ex-Kaiser to the required limits. The Powers, taking note of this engagement on March 26, 1920, declared through Mr. Lloyd George that, if the consequences feared resulted in the future from the presence of the ex-Kaiser or his family in the place actually assigned to them in Dutch territory, the Netherlands Government could not evade the exclusive responsibility both for the event and for its consequences, which they had assumed with full knowledge of the case.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 11.—It is reported from Frankfort that the ex-Crown Prince has arrived at Oels.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 10.—The Note of the Ambassadors' Conference, handed to the German Charge d'Affaires yesterday evening, demands explanations of the grave newspaper reports that the Reich has granted the ex-Crown Prince permission to return to Germany.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Amsterdam, Nov. 10.—The Dutch Government officially states that the ex-Crown Prince left Wieringen this morning, accompanied only by an aide-de-camp, and crossed the German frontier en route for his property at Oels in Silesia. He was travelling by motor-car. The exact spot where he crossed the German frontier has not transpired.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

The Hague, Nov. 10.—A communique states that the French, Belgian, British, Italian and Japanese Ministers this morning presented to the Dutch Foreign Minister a note, drawing attention to the Dutch Government's responsibility in designating the domicile of the ex-Crown Prince and hoping that it will not hesitate to take immediately all the special measures necessary.

Jonkheer van Karnebeek, replying, pointed out that a fixed domicile was allotted to the ex-Crown Prince during his stay in the country, but the Dutch Government was not competent to restrain him from leaving Holland. The position of the ex-Crown Prince was subject to the provisions of Dutch law and the question of obligations under international law were not involved in this particular case.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Nov. 10.—Replying to the Allied Note, the German Government states that the ex-Crown Prince requested permission to return to Germany and the Government was unable to find jurdical or practical reasons for refusing him, in the capacity of a German citizen, permission to return. It had therefore empowered its representatives abroad to furnish him with a passport authorising re-entry into Germany.

(Reuter's Service)

Amsterdam, Nov. 10.—The ex-Crown Prince's departure was carried out very secretly. Even the Ministry of the Interior, who supervised the refugee, were unaware that the bird had flown until several hours after his departure.

It appears that the Burgomaster of Wieringen late last night ordered a small steamer to await at four o'clock this morning to convey himself and the ex-Crown Prince to the mainland. The latter was quite composed when he boarded the steamer, distributing souvenirs amongst a handful of officers. The steamer proceeded to Ewyckluis, where the Crown Prince dropped his pilot in the person of the Burgomaster, and is at present making a non-stop race to Oels in Silesia.

The Nieuwe Rotterdamsche Courant points out that the responsibility of preventing the ex-Crown Prince's departure does not rest with Holland, but she does not like such strangers and

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RUSSIAN SUES PACIFIC MAIL FOR G.$25,000

Alleges Injuries Received While Loading "President Wilson"

Mr. V. Solovieff, a Russian, yesterday sued the Pacific Mail Steamship Company for G.$25,000 damages for injuries alleged to have been received on board the "President Wilson" while an employee of the steamship company.

Mr. Solovieff, through Mr. F. J. Schuhl, of Schuhl and Schoenfeld, alleged that he was employed on the vessel on February 1 as a watcher during the loading of the ship, and that he was knocked down by a cargo load. As a result of the accident, he alleges, his arm was broken and his wrist crushed. He has consequently lost the use of his left hand and has become an object of charity.

The accident, he alleges, was due to the negligence of the Pacific Mail in having the cargo winches run at a too high speed, and in the absence of sufficient guy ropes on the cargo hooks.

Fessenden and Holcomb, for the defendant company, contended that there was no allegation by the plaintiff that he was where he was when the accident occurred upon orders from the company, and there was also no allegation that the defendant was aware of the insufficient safety devices alleged. The case was taken under consideration for hearing.

Budget Estimates In U.S. Are Low

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Nov. 11. — The Budget estimates for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1924, amount to $1,680,000,000, which is $20,000,000 under President Harding's estimate last March. The appropriations for almost all Government departments will be reduced.

LONDON STILL HOPEFUL FOR REPARATIONS SETTLEMENT

To Continue Efforts To Bring About Conference

NEW U. S. POLICY

Watchful Waiting Is Decided Upon By Hughes

(Exclusive China Press)

London, Nov. 11.—Official circles here do not consider that the time has arrived to abandon all hopes for an allied conference on reparations which would include America, despite the discouraging news from Washington yesterday. It was said here that the British government will continue its efforts to bring about such a conference and that there is still a possibility that France may alter her announced program of limitations so as to make American participation likely.

(BY UNITED PRESS)

Washington, Nov. 11.—It is stated unofficially here that the Government has renewed its policy of watchful waiting in the hope that something may happen which will make possible American participation in a conference for the adjustment of European economic difficulties.

So far as is known here, no new negotiations in the matter are contemplated at the present time by the American government, now that Secretary Hughes has given the definite word to France that America will not be represented officially or unofficially at any conference which could merely inquire into Germany's capacity to pay at the present time and up until 1930.

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Nov. 11.—Ex-President Wilson, addressing an Armistice Day pilgrimage, which was attended by thousands, declared that he had not the least anxiety for the triumph of the principles for which he stood. "I have seen fools resist Providence before and I have seen their destruction, such as will come upon these again. That we shall prevail is as sure as God reigns."

ITALIANS TELL OF LOSSES FROM RIVER COLLISION

U. S. Court Hears Echo Of Gunboat Damages Case

An amusing echo of the collision in the river between the Dollar tug, A. B. Dollar and the Italian gunboat Carlotta was heard in the United States Court for China yesterday afternoon when the case of the Kingdom of Italy against the Robert Dollar Company was recalled.

Three referees have already laid the blame for the collision on the Dollar tug and an agreement has been reached between Schuhl and Schoenfeld and F. P. Musso, representing the Italian Government, and Fessenden and Holcomb, representing the Dollar Company, for the amount to be paid for damage done to the gunboat.

Other damages allegations are disputed by the Dollar Company, however, and yesterday afternoon Mr. F. J. Schuhl called the officers and several of the crew of the gunboat to prove their damage claims. Captain W. I. Eisler, marine surveyor, made a report to the Court on the estimated damage done to the officers' personal belongings and ship's gear and supplies which differs from the estimate placed on the same things by Commander Alberto D'Zari of the Carlotta.

THE DIFFERENCES

Mr. Schuhl first called on Commander D'Zari to testify concerning the difference between his and Captain Eisler's figures for ship's supplies and

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MARY PICKFORD TELLS TROUBLES MAY QUIT FILMS

(Exclusive China Press)

Los Angeles, Nov. 10.—Mary Pickford, motion picture star, testifying today before the Federal Trade Commission which is investigating charges of unfair competition brought against the Famous Players-Lasky Company, said that she intends to retire from the screen if conditions in the motion picture business grow any worse than they are at present. She said that the distribution of her pictures had been very much hampered because of the control maintained by the Famous Players-Lasky Company.

25-Foot Boat Breaks Leviathan's Speed Records

THE Rainbow III, owned by Commodore Harry B. Greening, Canadian millionaire, which finished second in the Gold Cup Race at Detroit recently has just completed a record breaking feat of traveling 1,064 miles in 24 hours. The former record for boats was held by the liner Levia than, which made 764 land miles in 24 hours. The run of Rainbow III was made on the waters of Lake Muskoka, Ontario and was witnessed by officials of the Power Boat Association of the United States.

An Autumn-Day Shanghai

By Irene Corbally Kuhn

A smoky grey day. Inside, a fire that lazily refused to crackle and glow and sullenly permitted murky gloom to sit in the corners and permeate the room. Outside, skies that were heavy and indifferent. Dirty, swathed figures shuffling along. Babies gazing stolidly with fixed baby stares from out the depths of variegated cloth cradles on their mothers' backs. No zest, no sparkle, no life. Just a pathetic huddle of existence. Empty stalls, and the dreariness of a spent day and departed business at the Hongkew market. Then a smashing blow of color, a gush of voices and a bevy of friendly smiles that dissipated the gloom as quickly and effectually as fire melts ice. The flower stalls at Hongkew market, blazing with cheerful reds and golden with yellow chrysanthemums. A vendor and his buxom wife—one of the few Chinese women I have ever seen who warranted such a descriptive adjective—eager to load me up with whatever I wanted to buy and some things I didn't. The ubiquitous "how much, two piece." The unfailing answer, a price up in high G, to wit, "eighty cents, missie." I see, I heard, I left. "Forty cents." No answer. Then "How much can do missie?" Firmly, with the air of the old resident who savvies bargaining, "twenty cents." Expostulations, smiles on both sides, persistence, more can do's and finally, the exchange of coin for color and I take my flowers and depart.

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Along Woosung road. China and Japan mingling together, living side by side, but refusing to blend, national characteristics peculiar to each adhered to so rigidly that they make the difference as striking as the black and red squares on a checkerboard.

"Welcome, Madame," says a small Japanese proprietor of a porcelain and glass "shoten," as I enter bent solely on exploratory shopping. A vase in the window has caught my eye. 'I use it as a sample and question if he has any more "something like that." He has, upstairs. Down they come, the ones that have been in hiding twice as pretty as the lures in the window.

The best of the lot is $3. He explains, though, that this is discount day, therefore 10 percent off can have for $2.70. Bargaining here is of no avail. Between sibilant hissings he explains that "So sorry, have one price." The old sure-fire last resort of the buyer used to dealing with Chinese, showing the money you are prepared to spend, after you have cautiously raised your first price, likewise is of no avail. The proprietor says, "sorry, no understand." In the end, you either take it at his price or hear a soft, "Sorry, madame," as you go out.

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Dixwell Road. No colors here. Again the grey gloom. On one side the austere bulk of the municipal abattoirs; on the other, the dirty sluggishness of Hongkew creek. Over all, the pervading and unmistakable odor of the slaughter house. A scow comes up the creek, moving with that misleading torpidity of creek craft which doesn't seem to get them anywhere and yet is actually the surest thing in China's commerce. A woman as usual, plies the single oar. Her numerous progeny neither help nor hinder her but squat around gazing in respectful awe at their father, who is doing a strange thing. He is applying the old principle that like cures like and, with a filthy mop, is sopping up what he

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CHARGE VAUGHAN WITH ATTEMPTED MURDER OF GIRL

Allege Foreigner Shot Chinese Prostitute On Yalu Road

Samuel Clarence Kearns Vaughan, an employee of the Shanghai Waterworks Company, was charged with the attempted murder of a Chinese prostitute named Ah Meu before Magistrate G. W. King in the British Police Court yesterday. After the hearing of the preliminary evidence the case was continued until Thursday.

Vaughan is charged with having shot the Chinese woman in a restaurant at 60 Yalu Road. She is still in hospital in a serious condition.

Mr. E. T. Maitland prosecuted on behalf of the police, and Mr. K. E. Newman defended.

Mr. R. Marshall, who examined the woman on the night of the shooting, said that the bullet had entered the chest and pierced the abdomen causing a wound that could easily have proved fatal.

Loh Gee-gong, the restaurant keeper, said that Vaughan had been dancing, by himself, not with Ah Meu. He had not served Vaughan anything but lemonade, he said. After the shooting Vaughan threatened to shoot himself if he were not allowed to go and actually had placed the revolver to his mouth.

Mr. Newman asked whether Vaughan had not pulled the trigger when the gun was to his mouth but Loh replied that he did not know.

Osman Addulla Andjouditch, a Mohammedan who was present in the restaurant at the time of the shooting, said that Vaughan had kept walking up and down in the restaurant. Two Chinese girls came in and then he saw Vaughan with a gun in his hand. The next thing he heard a shot and saw one of the girls lying on the floor.

The case was then adjourned until Thursday.

MARTIAL LAW IS DECLARED AS RESULT OF HSU SHOOTING

General Ho Takes Precautionary Steps

ASSASSIN TO DIE

Sentenced To Be Executed By Mixed Court

As a result of the attempted assassination Saturday evening of General Hsu Kuo-liang, chief of the Woosung and Shanghai Constabulary, martial law has been declared in Chinese territory here, while the execution of the assassin Li Dah-sung, was ordered yesterday by the Mixed Court.

At 1 o'clock this morning, the condition of General Hsu was reported to be much improved. He passed yesterday quite comfortably, the temperature having subsided, and he was allowed to take a little congee in addition to boiled water.

Over 200 officials and friends called on the invalid yesterday but none were allowed to see him except General Ho Feng-lin, the Military Commissioner, who was given one minute with the police chief but not allowed to converse with him. Madame Hsu, wife of the victim, arrived from Tientsin by the night express, but was not permitted to see her husband. She has been in the Northern city to prepare for the wedding of her son.

Yang Chi-ching, the bodyguard of the general who was shot in the head is expected to live. The bullet was found and removed from his forehead yesterday.

The assassin was tried before a Court Martial presided over by Colonel Teng immediately upon his surrender by the Settlement police after he was convicted in the Mixed Court. He retained his calm attitude as he did at the police station and at the Mixed Court and related his story of the attempted murder coolly as before. Among those who occupied seats in the Court were Mr. Hsu Yuan, Commissioner of Foreign Affairs; Mr. Wang Keng-ling, Taoyin of the Shanghai Circuit, Magistrate Shen Pao-chang, mayor of Shanghai City, and representatives of the constabulary of Shanghai and Woosung.

Meanwhile, after declaring martial law as a means of forestalling possible further attempts upon the lives of local Chinese officials, General Ho Feng-lin, Military Governor of this district, has appointed Colonel Lu Yung-chien, chief of the General affairs section of the constabulary, as officer in charge of the department. General Ho has also given a reward of $1,000 to those who participated in the capture of Hsu's assailant.

Beyond the trial of Li yesterday and his conviction there were no developments in the investigation of the shooting. The police are searching, however, for one Ma Yu-piao, said to have been a servant of the condemned man and to have lived with him for some days at the Wu Lin lodging house in Shantung Road.

ACCEPTS FATE CALMLY

The man whose pistol laid the constabulary chief and his aide low accepted sentence of death from Assessor Martin and Magistrate Kwan at the Mixed Court yesterday with the same placid demeanor which has characterised his attitude ever since the arrest which followed a running battle with the police immediately after the shooting. Placed in the dock and his handcuffs unlocked he rearranged his clothing, bent his head and gazed for the greater part of the proceedings at the floor, looking up now and then gravely as some witness gave a bit of testimony to which he apparently did not agree.

The charge placed against Li was that of attempting to murder General Hsu and the latter's servant, Yang. Chief Inspector Kerrigan appeared to prosecute for the police and Dr. Fischer was present to represent the Peking government, while Mr. J. Em Lemiere defended.

Chief Inspector Kerrigan outlined the facts of the case and stated that General Hsu was in

a critical condition, while the servant's case was not so serious. General Hsu's chauffeur and the Chinese constables who chased Li and captured him then gave testimony similar to the story of the episode given in THE CHINA PRESS of Sunday, describing the running fight along Yunnan and Pakhoi Roads and the capture and disarming of the man in the latter thoroughfare.

TELLS OF STATEMENT

Chief Detective Inspector Eek then told of questioning Li at Louza police station. The man told him, he said, that he had come to Shanghai about 7 days before after being on a holiday to Canton, where he got the pistol from a friend who is a soldier. Since his arrival he had been watching General Hsu's yamen and other places, but did not find his victim until he saw him enter the bath house at the corner of Pakhoi Road and Avenue Edward VII Saturday evening. As soon as the General emerged and went to enter his motor car Li fired. The reason he first gave for his act was that General Hsu had arrested a friend and schoolmate of his and sent him to Nanking for execution.

The friend who gave him the pistol, Li told Chief Inspector Eek, was an officer in command of about 4,000 men. Li told his questioner then that he was a member of the Kuomingtang, having joined prior to the Wuchang revolution in 1911, and that he had read in the Ming Li Kan newspaper, which was suppressed some years ago, that General Hsu was a bad man. He stated that he was a school master in Anhuei, the same as his father. Questioned further he mentioned the names of several military leaders whom he would have been only too pleased to shoot if he could have got the chance. Cross-examined by Mr. Lemiere, Chief Inspector Eek said the prisoner was cool and unconcerned throughout the interview and seemed quite proud of what he had done.

Mr. Lemiere then asked a remand in order that the accused might be examined by a doctor and a specialist,—contending that the man must be insane.

The Assessor ruled however that a remand should not be granted on those grounds. The evidence, he stated, showed clearly that the man knew what he was doing.

ACCUSED TAKES STAND

Li then took the witness box. He said that he was a native of Anhuei, 42 years old, and that he was a teacher in his native province. He came to Shanghai about a week ago, but had been here before. He was a member of the Kuomingtang prior to the revolution and a member of the Tung Men Hui society.

"I shot General Hsu last Saturday," he said, "to avenge a friend and schoolmate and many members of our society besides who have been executed by the general. I did not tell the police that I wanted to kill other officials. The object of my crime was a political one, his party being against ours. I had no personal grievance and I did not want to rob him"—this last with a grave smile.

Cross-examined by Chief Inspector Kerrigan, Li said that he had committed the crime in the International Settlement because it had been difficult to find his man. He had been waiting to slay Hsu for seven or eight years and this was his first chance.

In reply to a question by the Magistrate Li said that his crime was planned when the Pei Yang party was first organised and began recruiting soldiers and that he came to Shanghai for the express purpose of shooting Hsu.

Chief Inspector Kerrigan stated to the Court that it was not known if the General would die, but that it was no fault of the accused that he was not dead now. It was merely an accident that the affair happened in the Settlement and he believed that the Court would order the accused handed over to the Military Governor to be dealt with. As a matter of fact he had been instructed to ask that Li be handed to the Court of the Military Governor. They were in a better position to get at the bottom of the case than the Settlement police.

JURISDICTION TAKEN

Mr. Lemiere submitted that the Mixed Court had full jurisdiction. Dr. Fischer contended that though the crime occurred in the Settlement it was planned in Chinese territory and that it was only necessary to prove a prima facie case in order to have the man handed over to the Chinese authorities. He submitted that there was concurrent jurisdiction.

Mr. Lemiere held that jurisdiction stood where the crime was committed and that the Mixed Court could deal with the case.

The Assessor, after conferring with the Magistrate, stated that an attempt to murder had been clearly proven and that the Court would take jurisdiction. The penalty, he said, was execution, or might be reduced to imprisonment if there were extenuating circumstances. There seemed to be no extenuating circumstances in this case and the prisoner would be handed over to the Chinese authorities for execution.

Li accepted the ruling with impassive countenance, thrust out his wrists for the handcuffs and walked calmly out of the court room.

Complications Feared Following Return Of Ex-Prince To Germany

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once departed, will not easily allow them re-admission.

London, Nov. 12.—The return of the ex-Crown Prince to Germany does not excite much feeling. Well-informed circles in London are of opinion that the presence of a Hohenzollern in South Germany is likely to create a division among the monarchist forces in Prussia and Bavaria. Indeed it is suggested that the ex-Crown Prince's return is a subtle move by Dr. Stresemann to this end and that the Chancellor is not only trading on the ancient feud of the Wittelsbach and Hohenzollern dynasties but on the personal feud between Prince Rupprecht and the Crown Prince.

Only a few papers take notice of the event. The Daily Chronicle charges Holland with bad faith but the Westminster Gazette defends the Netherlands and points out that the action of the Dutch Government in permitting the ex-Crown Prince's departure is quite defensible. Dutch opinion is generally glad to see the back of an undesired foreigner.

It is believed both in Paris and in London that the Conference of Ambassadors will send a protest to Germany, after which the matter will drop.

Wu Pei-fu Named For Inspectorate Of Three Provinces

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 12.—Mandates issued at midnight appoint General Wu Pei-fu Inspector-General of Chihli, Shantung and Honan vice Marshal Tsao Kun, while General Wang Chen-ping succeeds General Wu as Assistant Inspector-General for the same Provinces. General Chi- Hsien-yuan is appointed Inspector-General of Kiangsu, Kiangsi and Anhui and General Peng Shou-tsing becomes Assistant Director of Military Affairs in Chihli.

Unknown Chinese Thought Murdered; Police Investigate

The body of an unknown Chinese who is believed to have been murdered was found Sunday morning in the country off Kweuming Road. At the time the body was discovered life was not yet extinct, but the man died within an hour or so at St. Luke's Hospital without regaining consciousness. He had evidently been severely mauled and then dragged into the country and left for dead. An inquest was begun yesterday by Assessor Whitamore and Magistrate Li and was adjourned to permit the police to investigate.

GEN. MA STAYS ON

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 9.—The agitation for the removal of General Ma Fu-hsiang from his post as Tutung of Suiyuan appears to be ended, and it is regarded as tolerably certain that he will be allowed to remain in his present position.

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Italians Tell Of Losses From River Collision

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gear. The Commander pointed out that there was difference of $179 odd dollars which resulted from different estimates being placed on a magneto, four coal shovels, 12 yards of fire hose, cotton waste, and six candles for water filters. The Commander agreed that the difference was minor but he refused to agree to a 50-50 split on the difference, as suggested by Fessenden and Holcomb. He was prepared, however, to make no claim for damage if the Dollar Company would replace the actual articles lost, he said.

Captain Eisler's and the Commander's estimate of the personal losses of the officers and crew amounts to $1300. Captain Eisler, Mr. Schuhl said, did not dispute the price put on the various articles, but did allege that the clothing could have been sent to the laundry and cleaners and did not need to be replaced entirely.

Commander D'Zarl said it was impossible for the members of a crew of an Italian gunboat to appear in white uniforms that were not spic and span. The uniforms referred to, he said, were in the water for 48 hours and all were spoiled because a large amount of oil from the engine room had also been spilled in the same place. He exhibited one uniform as evidence with grease spots showing plainly.

The other officers on the gunboat also testified concerning their personal losses. Their summer clothing and uniforms were all stored in one of the compartments that was flooded, they said, and practically everything was spoiled and impossible to wear again.

Judge Lobingier took the question under advisement.

Public Safety Bill Voted At Melbourne

(Reuter's Service)

Melbourne, Nov. 9.—The Public Safety Bill, occasioned by the police strike, has been passed by the House of Representatives and the Legislative Council, with the exception of the clause restricting the accumulation of union funds for the use of strikers.

Fengtien Is Ready For Peace Parley

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking Nov. 12.—General Pao Kwei-ching, having reported to the Government Marshal Chang Tsao-lin's readiness to enter negotiations, is again leaving for Mukden with the object of finally arranging a date and other details.

Japanese Diet To Meet December 10

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Nov. 12.—The extraordinary session of the Diet has been summoned for December 10 and the ordinary session for December 25.

SUN YAT-SEN'S NAVY

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 7.—According to Chinese sources, the Military Council of the Presidential Mansion has issued a circular telegram to the provinces reporting the defection of the naval force under Dr. Sun Yat-sen at Canton, and stating that the whereabouts of the latter is unknown.

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Reminder Is Sent Peking On Boxer Indemnity Note

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 8.—It will be remembered that the eight Powers signatory to the Boxer Indemnity in February last sent a Note to the Chinese Government giving their views regarding the payment of the indemnity in gold. The position was that three of the eleven original signatory powers—Germany and Austria-Hungary prominently and Russia tentatively—had ceased to exercise the right of signatories. The matter of payment in gold did not affect Britain, America, Japan and the Netherlands to any material extent, but the Chinese proposed to pay France, Italy, Spain and Belgium in depreciated notes, after her resumption of payments following the interval of five years during which payments were suspended. The four former Powers, however, naturally came into the question when it was proposed that a joint note should be sent to the Chinese Government.

Since then many outside influences have become attached to the matter. In the first instance the Peking Cabinet, after considering it, gave instructions to the Waichiaopu to agree with the French views, while the matter, was at the same time submitted to Parliament for its consideration. The Waichiaopu sent a note to the French Legation accordingly, while Parliament vetoed the arrangement.

In discussing the matter recently a Member of the House of Representatives said that the objection was taken mainly on the matter of procedure. If the Cabinet had sent its minute to the House in the first place it would probably have been passed without discussion, but it objected to the Cabinet giving instructions to the Waichiaopu before Parliament had approved.

Another Member of Parliament said that he failed to see why the question had ever been referred to the House at all, as it involved no departure from an old agreement. It was the Chinese Government that wished to depart from the former procedure, but the question was not put before the House in that way and the fact that the Foreign Office had been instructed by the Cabinet to agree to the French view simply muddled the whole affair.

As the eight Signatory Powers had not received any reply to their note of February last they have now sent in a reminder, recapitulating their former contentions and asking for an immediate reply.

There is some diversity of opinion regarding the coupling of the Banque Industrielle de Chine question and payment in gold francs, but in the case at Italy, Belgium and the Netherlands the matter of payment in gold stands alone.

Britain, America, Japan and the Netherlands have long since received their share of the indemnity, and there are increasing signs of impatience on the part of the Governments of the other four Powers. In the case of France it is commonly stated that her signature of the Nine-Power Agreement, which is necessary before the preliminary steps can be taken towards the settlement of the Banque Industrielle, while the salt suppius deposited in the Banque d'Indo-Chine, which is also a security for payment of the Boxer Indemnity, is being retained in the Banque.

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Autopsy Is Ordered Following Death Of Young Apprentice

An autopsy was ordered yesterday by Assessor Whitamore and Magistrate Li after an inquest had been opened over the body of an 18-year-old apprentice, whose death on Sunday involved some strange circumstances.

The youth, who was employed at 240 Shantung Road, apparently became very ill Sunday noon and was sent in a ricsha to the home of an uncle in Frenchtown. His body was shortly thereafter brought back to the shop, the uncle declaring that his nephew was dead when he arrived and that there was a peculiar blue mark over one of his eyes. Police inquiries developed that the apprentice is alleged to have been assaulted by his employer several days ago and this is believed to account for the mark over the eye.

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An Autumn-Day Shanghai

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fondly imagines is water, from the turn'd depths of the creek. With the dripping mop he is carefully swabbing his bare feet and legs, up to his knees, in an effort to remove the evidences of his wading and fishing further down the creek.

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Yuhang Road. A sinister street that branches off from Dixwell Road and pursues its seemingly malevolent course until it comes to Woosung Road. A street of tawdry open-front houses with looped-back lace curtains at their windows, and girls, children in years but with the experience of old women, in their dingy interiors. Shops that deal in cosmetics and specialise in hair dyeing. A young Chinese girl in a foreign dress, with scarlet lips and a silver ribbon in her hair. Next door, a foreign woman curling her hair with bright bird-like eyes darting sharp glances through the open door. A sinister street.

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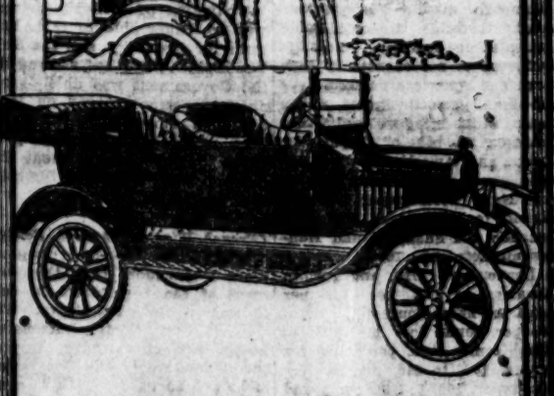
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Chen Chiung-ming Mobilizes For Direct Drive On Canton

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Canton, Nov. 6.—The latest reports reaching Canton from neutral sources regarding the operations on the East River show that General Chen's forces have suffered reverse near Waichow but, on the other hand, they are concentrating along the Canton-Kowloon Railroad with the intention of advancing on Canton by the easiest and most direct line and are transporting troops from Swatow and other ports along the coast under protection by the gunboats which recently deserted from Canton. In the Kao-jui districts the troops are causing trouble and, unless reinforcements are sent there, the Canton regime will have to face serious attacks on two fronts at the same time.

Dr. Sun Yat-sen is again in the field personally directing the operations on the eastern front. Before his departure his cabinet pledged themselves personally to procure for his war-chest nearly $500,000. Mr. C. C. Wu, the Secretary of Foreign Affairs, has offered to make Dr. Sun a loan of $50,000, according to the local press.

It is reported that an attempt was made to assassinate Mr. Chan Lu, Commissioner of Finance of Kwangtung, when landing at Hongkong from Canton on the night of November 3. Mrs. Chau Lu, who was accompanying her husband, was shot and died later. Mr. Chau's assailant, was arrested. Mr. Chau had been fired upon while in Canton about two months ago, but his assailant then escaped.

A strict search is being made in Canton for political suspects, the police offering from $50 to $200 reward for every arrest. The rumour that General Chen Chiung-ming's forces are about to land in Canton and that many of his followers have already arrived here to prepare for co-operation is causing much excitement here both amongst the police and the people. While the authorities are trying their best to calm the public, they appear to be labouring under greater apprehension than the people.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 12.—Official telegrams from Canton say that General Chen Chiung-ming, made strenuous efforts to secure a victory during the past three weeks with indifferent success. Dr. Sun's supporters still appear to be confident and assert that the Yunnanese will shortly come to their aid. While reinforcements to either side would probably turn the scales it does not seem likely that the Yunnanese will actually move.

Martial law was proclaimed in Canton on November 6 and is still being enforced. Many Cantonese suspected of communicating with General Chen have been arrested. Traffic in the streets is prohibited at night but business has thus far not been seriously affected.

The Changsha-Pinghsiang and Changsha-Hankow trains, which had been monopolised by the military since September, are again carrying passengers and freight.

Tsao Kun Demands Funds For Police

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 9.—Yesterday President Tsao Kun issued three interesting orders. The first was addressed to Mr. Chang Hu, Minister of Finance, instructing him to raise funds as soon as possible for the payment of salaries of the Peking Gendarmerie and Police. Th second order, addressed to Mr. Chang Ying-hua, Director of the Currency Bureau, called upon him to take steps to remedy the depreciation of the Peking copper notes. The third order directed the military authorities to furnish a statement with regard to military expenditures.

Navy Officer Is Held Guilty In Destroyer Wreck

(Exclusive China Press)

San Diego, Nov. 11.—A verdict of guilty is believed to have been reached by the general court martial which has been hearing charges against Lieut.-Commander Donald T. Hunter, U. S. N., commanding officer of the U. S. S. Delphy, one of the seven American destroyers which went aground some weeks ago in a fog off the coast of Southern California and was completely wrecked.

The actual verdict, however, and the recommendations for punishment made by the court martial, will not be made public until they are reviewed and approved by Secretary of the Navy Denby.

Steamer Nanking To Be Auctioned To Satisfy Debts

(Exclusive China Press)

San Francisco, Nov. 10.—The Steamer Nanking, formerly operated in trans-Pacific service by the China Mail Steamship Company, will be sold at public auction at the Merchants Exchange next Saturday by the United States Marshal, according to announcement made here today.

The vessel has been tied up here for some time past and is held for debts of the company running into several hundreds of thousands of dollars, among them being several big claims of the United States government for fines imposed for violations of the narcotic laws.

Zep Breaks Loose: Airman Is Killed

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Nov. 10.—The much advertised Army and Navy Air Circus, which was attended by thousands of spectators, was marred by an accident to the dirigeable TC2, which was caught by a gust of wind and swept to the sky when it was being fastened to the ground. The crew were dragged off their feet. All of them let go except one, who was entangled in the ropes. He was carried up hundreds of feet high and finally plunged to earth and was killed.

U. S. Ships To Be 'Dry' Regardless

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Nov. 10. — President Coolidge proposes to adhere to President Harding's order forbidding Government ships to carry or sell liquor on the high seas, notwithstanding the competitive advantage British ships would enjoy under the proposed treaty.

Admiral McVay Goes To Hankow

Rear Admiral Charles B. McVay, accompanied by Mrs. McVay, sailed on the s.s. Changsha on Sunday for Hankow, where he will take over command of the American Yangtsze patrol from Rear Admiral W. W. Phelps.

Admiral McVay will assume command of the American river gunboats as soon as he arrives at the Yangtsze port, and Admiral Phelps will go to Peking for a farewell visit before coming to Shanghai on November 22.

RUBBER TRADE IN PHILIPPINES UP TO PEOPLE

Investigators Seek To Learn Whether Industry Is Possibility

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, Oct. 24.—Whether rubber cultivation is to be developed in the Philippine Islands is squarely up to the Filipino people themselves, say the rubber investigators now in the Philippines. The commission, consisting of Messrs. C. F. Vance, S. P. Bushnell and A. H. Muzzall, is here investigating conditions, climatic, economic and agricultural.

"We'll find out whether rubber can be grown profitably in the Philippines," said one of the member of the commission. "In case conditions are right, then the question of whether the industry is to be established will have to be settled right here in the island."

The cost of establishing a rubber plantation is not as high at the present time as formerly, the commissioner added. Under new processes now being developed, an elaborate factory on the plantation is no longer necessary. Absence of rubber-tree disease is one advantage the Philippines has over the Federated Malay States.

The rubber commission is now in Zamboanga and expect to remain there for several months investigating conditions in Mindanao.

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Republicans Plan Sessions To Pick Convention City

(Exclusive China Press)

Washington, Nov. 10.—Chairman John T. Adams of the Republican National committee, today issued a call for a meeting of the committee at Washington on December 11 and 12, at which time the convention city for 1924 will be decided upon.

The general feeling in the ranks of the Republicans is that Chicago, which has been the scene of so many Republican nominating conventions, should retain its honors, but it is known that a hard fight will be put up by San Francisco, the scene of the last Democratic national convention.

Arnold Speaks Today At Tiffin

Mr. Julean Arnold, American Commercial Attache at Peking, will be the speaker at a tiffin given by the American Chamber of Commerce at the Union Club at noon today. Mr. Arnold, who has just recently returned from Japan where he studied post-earthquake conditions and at today's tiffin will speak on present conditions in Japan. Mr. Arnold will also tell members of the Chamber what the United States Department of Agriculture is doing in China.

NINE COUNTRIES FILL IMMIGRANT QUOTAS TO U. S.

No More Russian Visas Will Be Granted Here

The immigration quotas of nine foreign countries entitled to send immigrants to the United States have been exhausted until the year ending June 30, 1924, according to official telegrams from Washington received by United States Consul-General Edwin S. Cunningham.

The districts from which no more immigants will be allowed to enter the United States to make their future residence are Greece, Russia, Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Irish Free State, Turkey, Pacific Islands New Zealand, and the two designations taking in 'other Europe' and 'other Asia.' The Polish quota is almost filled also, according to word received, and no more Polish visas will be granted from the local office.

The quota of Great Britain and Northern Ireland is filled for the first time in several years, chiefly because of the widespread unemployment in Great Britain, which has caused hundreds of British workingmen and small businessmen to turn to new fields. The Russian quota was filled in record time because of the large numbers of Russians now scattered all over the world whose main idea at the present time is to get into the United States. Several hundred Russians, refugees in China, have sailed from Shanghai for the United States, chiefly on the Admiral line, and Japanese steamers. No more Russian visas, however, will be given by American consulates in China.

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Actor Is Killed In Motor Mishap

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London, Nov. 12.—The actor, Mr. Harry B. Waring, was killed in a motor-car accident at Leamington yesterday.

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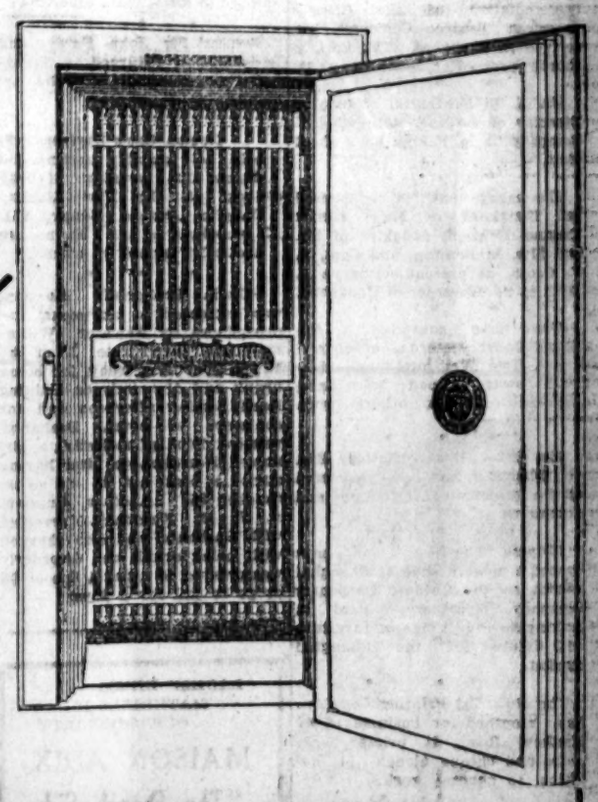

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News Brevities

Mr. Chi Yao-tung of Messrs. Jung Feng-heng, Peking holder of ticket No. 7370 in the Powhattan Club sweeps on The Champions, won the second prize of approximately $4,500.

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Memorial services for the late President Harding will be held by the Chinese of Peking on November 18.

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The first paper hunt of the Tientsin season will be held on November 18.

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Frederick Ward Post of the American Legion will give a smoker and entertainment at the American Club on Thursday night. Legionnaires are requested to attend.

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Mr. G. Luders de Negri, Mexican Consul-General at Hongkong, who has been on a trip to Peking to discuss the changing of the Consulate to Shanghai, is returning to the Crown Colony today.

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The United States Post Office Department has issued orders discontinuing the C. O. D. mail delivery service to the Philippines from December 1.

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Governor-General Leonard Wood of the Philippines, who is now in the Southern Islands, is going to Java to pay an official visit in the near future upon the suggestion of the State Department in Washington.

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Mr. G. S. Parker of the Parker Pen Company is expected to arrive in Shanghai on the President Wilson for a visit in China.

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Mr. E. F. Stanton, a student interpreter at the American Legation at Peking, has been appointed Vice-Consul at Mukden. He has already gone to his Manchurian post.

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Miss Josephine Pomeroy, who has been in Peking since last May, returned to Shanghai on Saturday night.

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The Earl of Gosford, who represents the British-American Tobacco Company in Manchuria, is leaving China on furlough in the near future.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Fleischer and daughter Simone left Japan for the United States on the Empress of Asia November 3. Mr. Fleischer will be back in Tokio about the first of the year to resume publishing the Japan Advertiser.

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Mr. Junius B. Wood, Far Eastern correspondent for the Chicago Daily News, and Mr. J. E. Doyle of the Mercantile Printing Company, have returned to Shanghai from a visit in Hankow where Mr. Wood secured data on the present situation on the upper river.

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The Earl of Gosford, Manchurian representative of the British-American Tobacco Company, has arrived in Shanghai. The Earl is shortly proceeding home on leave.

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Mr. A. Brooke-Smith, Managing Director of Jardine, Matheson and Company, is in Peking on a short visit.

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The engagement is announced in Hongkong of Miss Muriel Yvonne Denison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Denison, and Capt. E. C. Cross, at present acting as A. D. C. to the Governor of Hongkong.

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Two men convicted in the Mixed Court yesterday of operating a Hwo Wei lottery at 1255 East Seward Road were fined $50 each and six others were fined $10 each.

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The China Storage Battery Mfg. Co. Shanghai, has been registered at the Ministry of Agriculture and Commerce.

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Chinese business men have opened a modern shop at Shanghai known as the Chinese Carpentry Company. Machinery is used in making various kinds of furniture and fixtures for the Shanghai market.

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The Hwa Tai Printing Co., Ltd. has reopened for business at 47 Hankow Road. It prints bank notes and cheque blanks in addition to general work.

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Tsunhwa, Chihli province, produces a kind of white clay, which the natives use to wash their clothes in place of soap. The substance can be made into chalk or bleaching powder after a process of refining.

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A Min Sheng Mining Company, has been organised in Teisia, Shantung, for the exploitation of a lead mine near Tsanklachwang in that district. Over 60 miners from Chefoo under the employ of this company started work recently.

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The Chamber of Commerce at Kashing, Chekiang province, proposes to organise a City Development Commission, whose duty will be to plan and encourage commercial and industrial development in the city.

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A new plant is to be installed by the Peking Chinese Mercantile Electric Light Co. at Sunchingshan, on the border of the Hunnu west of Peking. It will be completed by the end of November. The plant is capable of producing 9,000 kilowatts.

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The proprietors and workmen of the brick kilns at China Kang Chen, Hunan province, have organised an association in order to promote their common interest. About 4,500 persons, including both the proprietors and the workmen, have been registered as members of the association.

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The San Yi Company of Pootung, has invented and put on the market a new kind of firebrand, which can be used for kindling stoves. It is made of the pith of a certain plant stalk soaked in a mixture of wax and oil residue and put up in sticks, five of which are sold for a copper.

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An experimental straw braid bleaching and dyeing factory under German management was opened at Tsingtao in June, and it is reported that the result was so satisfactory that even some Japanese braid will be imported here to undergo the process before being shipped to Europe and America.

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General Sir John Fowler and Lady Fowler returned to Shanghai from Hankow on the s.s. Kungwo.

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Nomas Oasis Shriners will hold their monthly meeting and dinner this evening at 5:30 o'clock at the New Maxims Cafe in Avenue Edward VII. All members of the Shrine are cordially invited to attend.

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Nikolia Bashanoff, Russian, was sentenced to six weeks' imprisonment by Assessor Whitamore and Magistrate Li of the Mixed Court yesterday for being drunk and disorderly on Haining Road Sunday afternoon and for contempt of court. Bashanoff was convicted of molesting a girl named Namakonova after having signed a bond not to do so on October 15. Another Russian, A. V. M. Kutanaeff, arrested with Bashanoff and also charged with being drunk and disorderly was ordered to a pay a fine of $5 or go to jail for 5 days.

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Andrew White Sues Steel Company For Wrong Dismissal

Mr. Andrew Taylor White sued the Foldi Steel Company (England) Ltd. for $3,000 damages for wrongful dismissal before Sir Skinner Turner in the British Supreme Court yesterday. Mr. J. H. Teesdale represented Mr. White and Mr. Reader Harris for the steel company.

Mr. White alleges that he suffered damage by breach of contract between the two parties at a monthly salary of 1,000 yen to run for a year. He claims to have been dismissed on October 26 and claims salary for October, November and December, totalling yen 3,000. The case was adjourned for a defence to be filed.

Ask Payment In American Drug Co. Case

Mrs. Kitty Ren, who was awarded Tls. 4,000 damages in her famous "shampoo" case against the American Drug company, asked for execution of the judgment, through her attorneys, Schuhl and Schoenfeld, in the U. S. Court for China yesterday. Mr. Schuhl asked for immediate judgment on the ground that the defendants di dnot file their bill of exceptions within 60 days.

Mr. Sidney Moss, for the drug company, explained that the delay was occassioned by the absence of Judge Lobingier and the official court reporter in the north. The motion was taken under consideration.

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Japanese To Send Envoy To America To Express Thanks

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Nov. 10—At a banquet last night, at which Dr. Charles Beard was the guest, it was resolved to take steps to approach the Government to request it to to convey Japan's thanks for the sympathy shown in the recent disaster.

At The Parisien

The Hotel Parisien announces a fancy dress and masquerade ball to take place in the newly decorated ball room next Saturday evening. Half-a-dozen handsome prizes are on display in the hotel lobby and some highly original costumes are anticipated.

The Parisien has also inaugurated a season of nightly dinner dances, which are attracting many patrons to the popular hostelry.

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The Tea Market

(Continued form Page 1)

bulk of the business in both black and green teas this season has been in common tea. The persistent inquiry for Chun Mee tea has denuded the market of supplies. All good green teas are in very small supply and prices all show an important increase compared with the previous month. Stocks of Wenchows and local packs are extremely small. They stand at around 6,740 half-chests, and of country teas there about 54,374 half-chests. Settlements in country teas up-to-date amount to some 120,645 half-chests. The buying of several chops of green teas is difficult owing to the scarcity of stocks.

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China Press Sports

LOVE MAKES A WOMAN BELIEVE A LOT OF THINGS THAT SHE KNOWS ARE NOT TRUE

International Walking Race On December 16 Is To Be Around Rubicon

Eighteen Mile Course Laid Out, With Finish At Race Club's Grandstand; Arrangements For Event Now In Hands Of Committees

By Westa

Practically all arrangements for the International Walking race that is to be held on December 16 were completed at a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting at the New Carlton Cafe last eveming. The route to be taken will be around the Rubicon Road, starting at Carter and Bubbling Well Roads and proceeding via Jessfield Road, and finishing in front of the Race Club's grandstand.

The exact detail of the route from the Nanyang College bridge to the finish has not been decided upon, but will be laid out this morning by a committee consisting of Messrs. Chapeaux, Johnson and West, who will go over the course in a motor car. It was originally planned to turn right from Nanyang College bridge and proceed via Route Siccawei along the creek to Avenue du Roi Albert, thence over Mohawk Road to the finish. Objection was made that this would take the contestants through a congested Chinese village at the end of the tramline on Route Siccawei, whereupon the above named committee was named to lay out a new course from the Bridge to the finish. The committee, after the survey this morning, very likely will lay the course so as to avoid the village and to include Route Petain, the fine new stretch of roadway recently completed by the French authorities. The total distance will be about eighteen miles.

At the meeting last evening, which was presided over by Dr. O'Hara, committees were named to look after the various departments of work necessary to stage the event. A letter was read from Secretary Olsen, of the Race Club, offering the use of the Race Course and Grandstand "and all other facilities" for staging the race, along with the personal services of Mr. Olsen as treasurer and as a member of the Finance Committee. Mr. N. B. Ramsay and Mr. R. Fano will serve with Mr. Olsen on this committee.

It will be the duty of the finance committee to get up an array of prizes for the individual and team winners, and to provide funds for the expenses incidental to holding the race.

THE "CHINA PRESS CUP"

In connection with the prizes to be offered, the meeting last evening adopted a vote of thanks to THE CHINA PRESS for the offer of a cup to the winner of the race This cup will be known as THE CHINA PRESS challenge cup to be competed for annually, the trophy to become the permanent possession of the contestant who wins it three times.

This, it is believed, will be but the forerunner of other offers of cups and trophies. At any rate there will be handsome prizes for the first three teams to finish, and for the first ten individuals.

Following the appointment of these committees, and the naming of Messrs. Stitt, Merriman and Pirie as starters and timekeepers, there was a long discussion at last night's meeting as to course, rules, pacemakers, and policing, particularly the latter. With a large number of contestants in the race, as it is now assured there will be, the matter of keeping the course clear was recognised as being one of prime importance, with the result that many and varied suggestions were offered by those present.

One suggestion, and one that very likely will be acted upon, was that the assistance of the Boy Scouts should be invoked to help keep the crowds in order, particularly along the closing stretches of the course, and at the finish. It was pointed out that in marathon races in America the Boy Scouts had proven invaluable in keeping a lane clear for the contestants and it was suggested that the Shanghai Boy Scouts would prove equally capable here. Dr. O'Hara was of the opinion that the boys would thus have an opportunity to help the walkers and at the same time get some good training along practical lines for themselves.

ENTRIES CLOSE DEC 10

An entrance fee of $2 per man is to be charged and entries will close on December 10 at 5 p.m. It was decided that pacemakers should wear a blue badge; the referees a white badge, and that the contestants should wear numbers and flags on their shirts, front and rear. As to pacemakers, these will not be allowed to join the walkers until Brenan Road is reached, and they must be dropped at the junction of Weihaiwei and Chungking Roads, Pacemakers may be either afoot or on bicycles—not in motorcars. A complete set of rules will be published shortly, together with a map of the course.

Training, in the meantime, continues nightly, with the Police teams working hard. From present indications the Police are going to carry the brunt of the battle, and the keenest kind of contests may be expected. The French candidates have started training and as the Frenchtown police have some excellent walkers the rivalry is sure to be very keen.

More and more the International Walking race looks like the biggest sporting event of the season.

J. B. FERRIER IS GOLF CHAMPION FOR FOURTH TIME

Champion Retains Title By Defeating A. Gray, 5 And 4

As was generally expected, Mr. J. B. Ferrier won the championship of the Shanghai Golf club at the Kiangwan course on Sunday, defeating Mr. A. Gray by five up and four to play. It was Mr. Ferrier's fourth victory in the classic 1909, 1921, 1922, 1923.

The match was not much from a golfing standpoint, but in the matter of interest it was the best championship of recent years, particularly in the latter half. Starting out after tiffin Mr. Ferrier won the first four holes, making him nine up; and making it look like Mr. Gray was to be "slaughtered". Just then, however, fortune turned, with the result that Mr Gray won four holes in a row, leaving him where he was when they had finished the first eighteen.

For a time it looked like one of those sudden turns of fortune which come in golf at times, and the spectators got tremendously excited. Mr. Ferrier steadied on the second nine, however, holding his opponent to a series of halves and these, with his big lead, were sufficient to carry him to victory at the fourteenth.

The game was featured by the champion's steadiness, and by his negotiation of a stymie on the last green during the morning round. At this hole both were on in three, with Ferrier about two feet short, and then Gray laid him a perfect stymie. The champion, using a niblick, lifted over cleanly and dropped his ball into the hole. It was a perfect shot.

Following the match Mr. R. G. Macdonald, who had acted as referee, complimented Mr. Ferrier on his victory, and Mr. Gray on his plucky fight. Mr. Macdonald added that the club champion contemplated a trip to England next year, and added that all wished him well in his golf while there. Mr. Ferrier, it is understood, will play in the British amateur next year.

The scores:

MORNING OUT

Ferrier.....	7	4	4	4	5	3	4	6	4—41
Gray.....	6	5	5	4	6	3	4	5	4—42

MORNING IN

Ferrier..	4	3	5	4	6	3	4	5	4—36—77
Gray....	5	3	4	6	8	3	4	5	6—45—87

AFTERNOON OUT

Ferrier.....	4	4	5	3	7	4	5	5	4—41
Gray.....	5	5	6	4	7	2	4	4	3—41

AFTERNOON IN

Ferrier....	4	3	5	5	6	
Gray.....	4	3	5	5	6	

MATCH IS DRAW

(Reuter's Service)

Woonona, N.S.W., Nov. 10.—A match played here today between the Chinese football team and the South Coast resulted in a draw, neither side scoring.

BARNEY GOOGLE By Billy De Beck

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A Near "Champ"

Young Stribling

Here is Young Stribling, the 18-year-old Macon (Ga.) high school boy, whose fight at Columbus, Ga., with Mike McTigue, light heavyweight champion of the world, resulted in riotous scenes in which Referee Ertle, of Jersey City, alleges he was compelled, under threat of death, to change his decision from a draw and to declare Young Stribling a winner.

Zev Owner Offers $100,000 For Race With In Memoriam

(Exclusive China Press)

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 11.—Sam C. Hildreth, owner of the three-year-old Zev, today offered to race his horse against In Memoriam in a special match race with a side-bet of $100,000 in order to settle the question of supremacy among the American three-year-olds.

Zev was the victor in his recent match race at Belmont Park, New York, with Papyrus, the champion of the English turf. Later, however, In Memoriam won a race at Louisville in which both Zev and Admiral Cary T. Grayson's My Own, also a serious contender for three-year-old honors, started.

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RUGBY CLUB XI BEATS HAWKINS IN GOOD GAME

Contest Gives But Little Line On Ability Of Club Players

The Shanghai Rugby Football Club played an eleven from H. M. S. Hawkins on Sunday afternoon on the Cricket Club Ground, and defeated them by a goal and a try, 8 pts, to two tries, 6 pts. There was not much to choose between the teams and it was anybody's game up to the finish. The Club XV was the best that could have been turned out, but little idea of form could be gathered from the game.

The pace from the beginning was fast. After some scrappy midplay Goolden gathered the ball and started the Club threes going, Evans however, instead of carrying on the combination cut through and was lucky in scoring on the left of the posts after a fine run. McMeekin converted easily. (5-0)

The Navy showed no signs of weakening and soon after with a fine rush carried the ball over the Club line but the danger was averted by a touch down.

Following the kick off play centered in mid field for some time. The Club forwards eventually after repeated instructions heeled to Goolden who started his threequarters going. The movement ended in a good try by Bichard who scored far out on the left wing. The kick failed. (8-0)

After half time the Navy had decidedly the best of the game. From a scrum in the Club 25 the Navy scrum half passed out to his right wing threequarter who scored. The kick failed (8-3).

Soon afterwards a free kick was given against Shanghai close up to the goal but the kick went wide.

The last try of the game was scored by the Navy in much the same way as their previous one though due largely to weak tackling. The try was not converted (8-6).

The play throughout was keen and there was not much to choose between the forwards of both sides but the Shanghai backs combined rather better than their opponents. The sides were:

H. M. S. HAWKINS

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Laybourne, Slader, Martelli, Wilson
Graham, Billings
McBride, Addis, Yale, Bayne, Robertson, Phillips
Horton, Brown.

SHANGHAI

Nicholl
Bichard, McMeekin, Webb, Thompson (C. R. W.)
Goolden, Evans (A J. W.)
Raikes, Lampert, Huchison, Focken, Fleury,
Leach, Stewart, (J. C.) and Mann.

Mr. F. R. Ormston kindly refereed the game.

HARVARD BEATS PRINCETON BY SCORE OF 5-0

(BY UNITED PRESS)

New York, Nov. 10.—Results of today's football games were as follows

Yale, 16; Maryland, 14.
Harvard, 5; Princeton, 0.
Pennsylvania, 8; Lafayette, 6.
Navy, 61; St. Xavier, 0.
Army, 44; Arkansas Aggies, 0.
Illinois, 10; Wisconsin, 0.
Chicago, 27; Indiana, 0.
Michigan, 26; U. S. Marines, 0.
Calif., 13; Southern Calif., 7.

We've all heard of love birds,
Who stop in their nest;
But if you want Wife to please
THERE'S THE CREST

Anderson Quits Big Tennis Play

(Reuter's Service)

Sydney, Nov. 11.—It is definitely announced that Mr. J. O. Anderson has retired from big tennis. It is understood that Mr. Anderson informed the Australian Lawn Tennis Association that his American trip cost him £500 above his allowances and the Association was not able to grant him that amount.

ENGLAND IS VICTOR

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 10.—In the Amateur Association Football International at Sydenham today England beat Ireland by 3 goals to nil.

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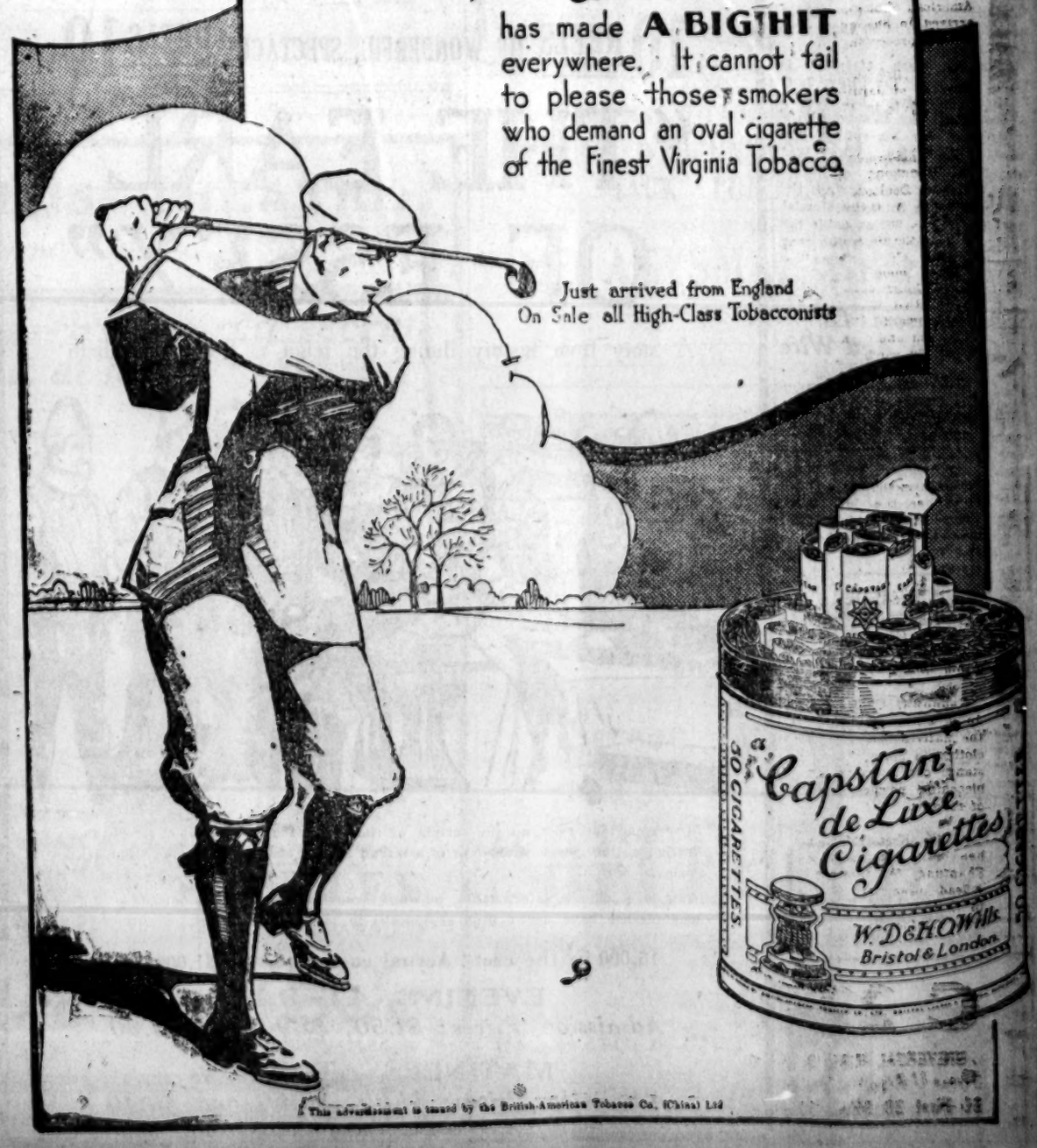

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KEYTE SPEAKS ON "THE MAN WHO FORGOT"

Today's Address On "The Man Who Was Afraid"

Last night the Rev. J. C. Keyte continued his Addresses on "The Message of the Cross." The title of his address was "The Man Who Forgot" and for his text he took the incident that led up to and included the parable of "The Rich Fool." He dealt first of all with the man who wished Christ to interfere is the matter of the partition of the inheritance and showed how Christ cared for none of such pettiness but rebuked the intruder and warned His audience against the sin of covetousness.

That interruption brought forth the parable so well known to us as that of "The Rich Fool" who had made up his mind to eat, drink and be merry. Mr. Keyte said that apparently the parable seemed to contradict the rebuke and then he set about showing that the rebukes and the parable were in full accord the rich fool had acquired a competence and there was nothing left apparently for him to covet. He had enough to eat, enough to drink and seemingly there was nothing this world could offer that he could not with the minimum of effort procure.

Christ did not denounce him because of his great possessions but because he meant to use them for his own selfish gratification. He labored under the misapprehension that is so common today that it is possessions that count. This man coveted the self-contained life: he coveted the opportunity to live his life entirely to himself. Up till the time he retired he had had to brush shoulders with his neighbors but he longed for the day when he could give up business and enjoyed the fruit of his labors.

By way of contrast he showed how other men, men of high ideals, had lived and striven for their day of retiral also and had then begun their real life a life of service a life when getting was at an end and giving formed their chief pleasure. He took the example of Edward Bok as a contrast to that of the rich fool.

Then in closing he instanced how a full life could be lived a life devoid of all self and all covetousness. He told of a man of splendid gifts a man to whom was offered position and the companionship of the learned but who felt that his life and his talents should be devoted to the uplifting of this great land where ignorance is so rampant. The preacher here emphasised the great fact that life is a trust and must be spent, if spent wisely, not in self-seeking but in service.

Mrs. H. E. Muriel delighted the audience by her fine rendering of Sullivan's "God shall wipe away all tears."

This afternoon at 5:30 in Union Church the Rev. J. C. Keyte will continue his Special Addresses on The Message of the Cross and for his subject will take "The Man Who Was Afraid."

Mr. H. E. Muriel during the service will sing from the Messial the Recitative "Thus saith the Lord" and the Air "Who may abide the day of His coming."

Seek Assassins Of Captain And Wife

(Reuter's Service)

Delhi, 10.—The bodies of Captain Watts of the Kurum militia and his wife were found lying in their bungalow. The deaths were caused by stabbing. It is believed that the murderers were indentical with the murderers of Mrs. Ellis and Captains Orr and Anderson. The assassins are known to have escaped from Afghanistan.

NEW COMMANDER

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 10.—A report from Ichang says that General Lu Chien-chang is replacing General Chao Ying-hua in command of the Northern forces there.

The report adds that Northern troops and supplies are being sent to Wanhsien, where it is expected, the troops will connect with the Second Army.

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American Rugby Candidates Asked To Attend Practice

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Sailor Given 5 Days In Jail For Assault

John Ricketts, a seaman on the U.S.S. Huron, was sentenced to 5 days in jail by U. S. Commissioner Nelson E. Lurton yesterday when he was found guilty of having assaulted Chief Engineer Harris on board the warship on Sunday afternoon.

According to the evidence Ricketts was drunk on duty and the Chief Engineer, after having been informed of the fact by Second Assistant Engineer Rhodes, was going for a substitute when Ricketts jumped on him and struck him with a spanner on the head twice. Then he kicked him. After that the Chief Engineer, he said, sailed in and beat up Ricketts to such an extent that he appeared in court swathed in bandages that made him look like a mummy.

Rifle Meet Entries Close Tomorrow

The entries for the Small Bore Rifle Club's first Annual Rifle Meeting will close tomorrow and members who are still awaiting private rifles will be quite able to enter. Owing to the kindness of four members who are unable to be present through the meeting, there will be four spare rifles, kindly loaned by these members to help make the meeting a big success. All we want now is fine weather, a good muster, some topping scores, and a good time generally.

The Club is growing monthly. The new Vickers rifles have arrived, and we may look for stronger competition generally in future.

Stands Collapse: 25 Spectators At Grid Game Hurt

(Exclusive China Press)

Charleston, W. Va., Nov. 10.—About 25 spectators at the Washington and Lee-West Virginia football game here today were seriously injured when a grandstand in which they were seated collapsed. Many others sustained minor injuries.

Stewart-Crane Company Assets About Tls. 6,700

The total assets of Stewart-Crane Company, in receivership, amount to between Tls. 6,700 and Tls. 6,800, according to a verbal report made by Mr. F. A. Bowen, the receiver, to Judge Charles S. Lobingier in the U S. Court for China yesterday.

Mr. Bowen was instructed to file a written report specifying all assets and also all preferred claims against the company. The assets, Mr. Bowen reported, were not sufficient to meet the claims of the preferred creditors and the ordinary creditors will very probably receive nothing for their claims.

Early Decision In Franc Dispute Sought By Tsao

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 10.—President Tsao Kun has instructed the Cabinet to reach a decision regarding the gold franc question as soon as possible.

Football

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 10.

ENGLISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION

Birmingham 2, West Ham U. 0.
Bolton W. 4, Chelsea 0.
Burnley 1, Blackburn R. 2.
Everton 2, Sheffield United 0.
Huddersfield T. 3, Liverpool 1.
Middlesbrough 0, Arsenal 0.
Newcastle U. 4, Manchester C. 1.
Notts County 0, Aston Villa 1.
Preston N. E. 4, Sunderland 2.
Tottenham H. 3, Nottingham F. 0
West Bromwich A. 2, Cardiff C. 4

LEAGUE POSITIONS

Team	P.	W.	L.	D.	P.
Cardiff City	14	8	1	5	21
Huddersfield T.	14	8	2	4	20
Aston Villa	16	6	3	7	19
Sunderland	15	7	4	4	18
Bolton W.	16	5	2	8	18
Everton	16	6	4	6	18
Notts County	14	6	3	5	17
Blackburn R.	14	6	4	4	16
Sheffield U.	14	6	4	4	16
Newcastle U.	15	6	5	4	16
Tottenham H.	14	5	4	5	15
West Ham U.	14	5	4	5	15
Manchester C.	14	6	5	3	15
Liverpool	14	6	6	2	14
Arsenal	14	5	6	3	13
W. Brom. A.	14	4	6	4	12
Nottingham F.	14	4	7	3	11
Burnley	14	2	6	6	10
Birmingham	15	3	8	4	10
Chelsea	15	2	7	6	10
Middlesbrough	14	3	9	2	8
Preston N. E.	14	1	9	4	6

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION

Aberdeen 2, Partick Thistle 1.
Airdrieonians 2, Motherwell 0.
Ayr United 2, Hibernians 2.
Clyde 3, Greenock Morton 0.
Dundee 4, Clydebank 1.
Hamilton A. 2, Celtic 5.
Hearts 4, Kilmarnock 1.
Queen's Park 0, St. Mirren 1.
Raith Rovers 3, Falkirk 0.
Rangers 2, Third Lanark 0.

LEAGUE POSITIONS

Team	P.	W.	L.	D.	P.
Rangers	13	9	1	3	21
Celtic	14	6	2	6	18
Airdrieonians	14	7	3	4	18
Raith Rovers	13	7	3	3	17
Partick Thistle	14	8	5	1	17
Kilmarnock	13	7	4	2	16
Aberdeen	14	6	4	4	16
St. Mirren	13	5	3	5	15
Hearts	14	5	4	5	15
Queen's Park	12	6	6	1	13
Motherwell	13	5	6	2	12
Clydebank	14	4	6	4	12
Dundee	13	5	7	1	11
Hibernians	14	3	6	5	11
Falkirk	14	4	7	3	11
Third Lanark	12	5	7	0	10
Clyde	14	3	7	4	10
Greenock M.	15	4	9	2	10
Ayr United	13	2	6	5	9
Hamilton A.	13	4	9	0	8

And now let's be serious—
It's no time to jest;
Just study your "tummies"
And eat at THE CREST

Rugby Player Is Suspended After Accepting Gift

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 10.—The Scottish Rugby Union has suspended Neil Macpherson, the Newport forward and Scottish international, for receiving a memento gift on the occasions of presentations made by Newport Town to 22 members of the Newport Club to celebrate last season's unbeaten record. No Scottish player will be permitted to play with or against the members of the Newport Club who have accepted gifts. The Welsh Union sanctioned the presentations.

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Results Of Earthquake Seen In Report On Cargo Carried

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, Oct. 26.—Japanese ships, as a consequence of the earthquake catastrophe in Japan, dropped off sharply in the proportion of Philippine trade carried during September, as compared with their record in preceding months, and for September 1922.

The Japanese cargo carriers, during the period under review, shipped cargo to and from the Philippines to the amount of $365,230 in September, 1923, while for the corresponding month in 1922, they carried cargo valued at more than $1,000,000.

The American steamers again led, carrying $6,835,763 worth of imports and exports. British vessels came next, with $4,344,132 worth of domestic and foreign merchandise to their credit. Then came the Dutch ships with a total of $640,598.

Considerable decrease was noted in the shipment of hemp and sugar as well as lumber during September this year, as compared with the same month last year. Increases were registered in copra and tobacco.

An unfavorable trade balance continued to pile up against the Philippine Islands during the month of September. The total foreign trade of the islands for September, 1923 amounted to $14,078,584, which is about $500,000 less than for the same month of 1922. The balance of trade against the islands for September amounted to $31,000. Total imports amounted to $7,054,829, while exports were valued at $7,023,754.

The United States obtained the lion's share of the total foreign commerce of the islands. During the period under review, the country's share, both imports and exports, was valued at $8,601,251, which was more than 50 percent. of the entire business of the Philippines. The islands exported more products to the United States than she imported.

3 Killed, 19 Hurt In Chemical Blast

(Exclusive China Press)

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 11.—Three men were killed here today and nineteen others were injured in an explosion at the plant of the National Analine and Chemical Company. The cause of the explosion has not yet been ascertained.

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All Of London Attends Armistice Day Services

Britain's Royal Family Pays Solemn Tribute At Tomb Of The Unknown Warrior

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 11.—Enormous crowds and bright sunshine marked the celebration of Armistice Day. It was the first time that this had fallen on a Sunday. A service was held this morning at Westminster Abbey, at which the King and Queen were present. Naval, military and air force detachments were stationed on either side of the nave. Four guardsmen were posted at the grave of the Unknown Warrior. After the two minutes' silence, the singing of "God, our Help" a short sermon. Their Majesties with the choir and clergy, Sir Hugh Trenchard, Earl Beatty, the Earl of Cavan, the Speaker, the Lord Chancellor, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, the Members of the Cabinet, the Overseas Premiers, Ministers and High Commissioners, Mr. Lloyd George and the Earl of Balfour, walked in procession to the grave, while the hymn "The supreme sacrifice" was sung. The singing of the Recessional, the sounding of the Reveille by buglers and an anthem closed the service.

The King placed on the Unknown Warrior's grave a solitary wreath of laurel, bound with Flanders poppies.

The Prince of Wales was the central figure at the service at the Cenotaph where he deposited a wreath. The massed bands of the Guards played sacred music from 10.30 to 10.50. The Members of the Cabinet arrived at 10.45. Following the silence, the hymn "O, God, our help" was sung after which a vast crowd made a pilgrimage past the Cenotaph.

A service was held in Trafalgar Square this afternoon, at which the massed Guards' bands led the singing of the hymns and clergy delivered addresses.

A Church Army demonstration was simultaneously held in Hyde Park.

Air-Marshal Sir Hugh Trenchard at noon placed a wreath on the Air Force Memorial on the Victoria Embankment in the presence of thousands of people.

Commemorative services were held at St. Paul's, Westminster Cathedral and all churches.

The day was similarly observed through the country and Empire.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 11.—Mr. S. M. Bruce, the Australian Prime Minister, in an Armistice Day message says that the settlement of the world depends today greatly upon the Commonwealth of British nations and it is for us to ensure wise and determined direction of the Empire's policy to that end. The abandonment of her position and authority by Britain through timidity or any other false sentiment might signalise another world-wide conflagration. Our duty is to keep the Empire strong politically and economically in order to enable us to carry out our large share in the work of the world's physical and spiritual recovery, for the world looks to us to show the way. Australia's faith is that the British race will not, cannot decline the duty and privilege which go with the Empire's place in the van of civilised progress.

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Nov. 11.—Armistice Day messages have been issued by President Coolidge and ex-President Wilson.

The President says: "If there is to be place on earth it would be because there is justice on earth."

Ex-President Wilson, addressing the American people directly by wireless for the first time since he left the White House, declared that America's attitude after the war was "deeply ignoble, cowardly and dishonorable." He said that France and Italy had made waste-paper of the Versailles Treaty. The way in which the United States could show its true appreciation of the significance of Armistice Day was by resolving to put self-interest away and to formulate and act upon higher ideals of international policy.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, Nov. 11.—The principal ceremony of Armistice Day took place at noon at the Cenotaph, around which were assembled a large and representative company, including the Governor, members of the Government, naval and military officers, representatives of the mercantile marine and members of the Consular Body.

After a simple and impressive service, the Governor placed a wreath at the foot of the Cenotaph, which was followed by many from the public, including one from the Doyen of Consuls, Mr. W. H. Gale, the American Consul-General, on behalf of the Consular Corps.

Earlier in the day, services were held in the churches in remembrance of those who fell in the war.

At eleven o'clock a two minutes' silence was observed, after which the Last Post was sounded on Murray Parade Ground and also in Kowloon.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 11.—A procession of ex-soldiers blinded in the war marched through Brussels today and laid a palm on the tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio Nov 12.—Armistice Day was celebrated yesterday with a mass meeting at Hibiya Park under the auspices of the Municipality and the League of Nations' Association. The meeting passed a resolution of thanks from the 3,000,000 citizens of Tokio for the profound sympathy and prompt relief work of the friendly Powers in the recent national calamity. The meeting was attended by the Foreign Minister and the Diplomatic Corps. The Doyen, Sir Charles Eliot, responded to the resolution.

Dads And Sons To Have Dinner Friday Night

The Father's and Son's banquet under the auspices of the Shanghai Community Church is being held this year at the Navy Y.M.C.A and takes place at 7 p.m. Friday.

This is the third annual banquet of this kind and promises to be the most interesting as well as the best attended of them all thus far. Father's and Son's Week has created considerable interest in the United States for several years. It's purpose is to make it clear to both fathers and sons how much they are dependent upon each other and how much they may gain from each other's comradeship. The banquet is usually the big event of the week.

Any man in Shanghai is invited to attend the banquet and to bring a son, either his own or one of the boys of the American School. One will be assigned on application to Mr. J. C. Clark of the Y.M.C.A.

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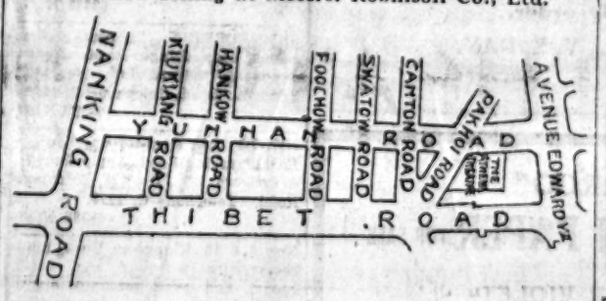

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(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 10.—A summary of the proceedings of the Imperial Conference has been issued.

The section dealing with defence says that after the whole field had been surveyed, the Conference decided that it would be advisable to record in the following resolutions its conclusions on the chief matters which have been discussed:

(1) The Conference affirms that it is necessary to provide for the adequate defence of the territories and trade of the several countries comprising the Empire.

(2) In this connection the Conference expressly recognises that it is for the Parliaments of the several parts of the Empire, upon the recommendations of their respective Governments, to decide the nature and extent of any action which should be taken by them.

(3) Subject to this provision, the Conference suggests the following as guiding principles:

(A) The primary responsibility of each portion of the Empire, represented at the Conference, for its own local defence.

(B) Adequate provision for safeguarding the maritime communications of the several parts of the Empire and the routes and waterways along and through which their armed forces and trade pass.

(C) The provision of naval bases and facilities for repair and fuel so as to ensure mobility of the fleets.

(D) The desirability of maintenance of the minimum standard of naval strength, namely, equality with the naval strength of any foreign Power. In accordance with the provisions of the Washington Treaty on the Limitation of Armaments, as approved by Britain and all the self-governing Dominions and India.

(E) The desirability of development of the air forces in the several countries of the Empire upon such lines as may make possible by means of the adoption as far as practicable of a common system of organisation and training and the use of uniform manuals, patterns of arms, equipment and stores (with the exception of type of aircraft) for each part of the Empire as it may determine to cooperate with the other parts with the least possible delay and the greatest efficiency.

(4) In the application of these principles to the several parts of the Empire concerned, the Conference notes:

(A) The deep interest of Australia, New Zealand and India in the provision of a naval base at Singapore as essential for ensuring the mobility necessary to provide for the security of the territories and trade of the Empire in Eastern waters.

(C) The necessity for the maintenance of a safe passage along the great route to the East through the Mediterranean and Red Sea.

(C) The necessity for the maintenance by Britain of a Home Defence air force of sufficient strength to give adequate protection against air attack by the strongest air force within striking distance of her shores.

(5) The Conference, while deeply concerned for the paramount importance of providing for the safety and integrity of the Empire, earnestly desires, as far as is consistent with this consideration, further limitation of armaments and trusts that no opportunity may be lost to promote this object.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 10.—The resolution of the Imperial Conference with regard to treaty-making powers imposes the fullest cooperation of those parts of the Empire concerned both before and during the negotiations.

Treaties not imposing obligations on the whole Empire should be signed by the Governments concerned, while the text should be clearly worded, making its scope clear. Ratification of treaties imposing an obligation on one part of the Empire should be effected at the instance of the part concerned, while treaties involving more than one part can only be effected after consultation of all the parties concerned.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 10.—In the course of discussion on foreign policy the Imperial Conference decided, in the event of the scheme for a common inquiry with the co-operation of the United States breaking down, that the British Government should carefully consider the alternative of summoning a conference itself to examine the financial and economic problem in its widest aspects.

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NOMAD

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The regular monthly meeting of Nomad Oasis will be held at the New Maxim's Cafe on Tuesday November, 13th at 6.30 p.m.

The meeting will be followed by dinner and a general re-uni n.

All visiting shriners are cordially invited.

63405

The Chinese Coal Co.

537 Medhurst Road Tel. W. 2317

CHEAP SALE

November 10th, 1923

Special Anthracite for "Salamandre Stoves"	per ton $24.00
Special Anthracite (Screened for "Salamandre Stoves"	per ton $23.00
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Kitchen Coal No. 1 (Screened)	per ton $17.00
Kitchen Coal No. 2 (Screened)	per ton $16.00
Steam Coal (Mix)	per ton $13.30
Steam Coal (Dust)	per ton $11.00
Firewood 50 Bundles	$ 1.00
Charcoal one Basket	$ 0.60

65419

Will any Europeans who were present at the time and saw several Chinese and plain clothes men forcefully detain a Chinese and take him away in a motor car on the 17th of Sept. this year, at 1 p.m. in Mandalay Road, British Concession, kindly come forward and state the incident that took place. Apply to Mrs. Tsu-Sho-Ma, Womin-Yuya-Tinchi Lane, off Avenue Road.

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In the American Consular Court for the District of Shanghai, China

In re Last Will and Testament of HENRY GEORGE TALCOTT, Deceased.	Estate No. 38 NOTICE

Pursuant to an Order of said Court, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Henry George Talcott deceased, to present the same, with vouchers, to the undersigned on or before May 6, 1924, and all persons owing debts to said deceased are hereby notified to make payment of the same in due course to the undersigned.

Richard B. Irving, Executor,
c/o Palace Hotel,
Shanghai, China.
November 6, 1923.

63271

In The International Mixed Court Of Shanghai

Chinese Civil Case No. 1320-A

RE: KYIEN-DIEN YANG (楊殿金) of TUH TAH HONG (號泰德)
(Petition in Bankruptcy)

A petition in bankruptcy has been filed in the above matter, and, by an order of this Honorable Court, dated 30th October 1923, the undersigned are appointed Interim Receivers.

Take notice that the Court will grant the petition unless objection thereto is lodged within two weeks.

Creditors are required to send to the undersigned their names and addresses, and particulars of their debts or claims on or before 2nd December 1923, after which date no further claims will be recognised.

All debts due to the estate should be paid to us forthwith, and debtors are warned not to pay their debts to any person or persons other than ourselves.

SETH, MANCELL & McLURE.
Official Court Accountants.
7 Avenue Edouard VII,
Shanghai, 2nd November, 1923.

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NOTICE

DR. PAUL MARTIN desires to announce change of telephone numbers to C. 6125 residence; C. 825 office.

GLEN LINE BUILDING.

63150

UNION BUILDING

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4 The Bund.

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NOTICE

THE UNDERSIGNED has this day resigned his position in the China & Java Export Company.

W. Hutchinson,
Shanghai, November 10, 1923.

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November 7th

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Whangpoo Conservancy Board

Notification No. 134.

DREDGING FOR RIPARIAN OWNERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with Article 9, Section 5, of the Agreement for the Administration of the Whangpoo Conservancy of 1912, the Board is prepared to dredge for riparian owners at reasonable rates to secure improved wharfage facilities.

Estimates of cost and information regarding the conditions for any dredging work contemplated will be given at the Board's offices, 6 Kiukiang Road.

H. von Heidenstam,
Engineer-in-Chief.
Shanghai, November 6th, 1923.

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Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai

NOTICE

MUNICIPAL LOAN OF 1923

8.000 debentures of Tls. 100 each
(issued at Tls. 97 each)

Rate of interest 6% per annum

The "Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai" hereby invite subscriptions for 8.000 debentures of Tls. 100 each, issued at Tls. 97 each according to the resolution passed at their General Meeting on the 14th May 1923.

The conditions on which the Debenture Certificates will be issued are:

1°.—The Debenture Certificates are transferable, and the person whose name is entered in the Register of Debenture Certificate or Certificates, shall alone be recognised and treated by the Council as the lawful and rightful holder and owner of such Debenture Certificate or Certificates.

2°.—The Debentures will be issued at Tls. 97 each

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4°.—The Debentures will bear interest at 6% per annum, payable on the 31st day of May and 30th day of November in each year, when interest warrants will be issued to the registered owners.

5°.—The Debenture Certificates will be issued and bear interest from 1st July 1923.

6°.—Applications for Debentures will be received at the Secretary's Office, Rue du Consulat, from June 20 next. A cheque representing the amount of debentures asked for and payable on June 30th must be deposited at the same time.

7°.—Applications for Debentures under 97 will not be recognised by the Council.

8°.—For further informations, apply to Mr. P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council.

Shanghai, 31st May 1923.

By Order,
P. LEGENDRE
Secretary.

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HONGKONG DEVELOPMENT BUILDING AND SAVINGS SOCIETY, LIMITED.

Incorporated under the Companies' Ordinances, 1911-1921.

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DIVIDED INTO, 1,000,000 SHARES OF $10 EACH

Of the above Shares 169,000 have already been subscribed for cash by the Directors and their friends. On these $1.00 per share will be paid on application and the balance when called up on the same basis as the remaining capital. The remaining 831,000 shares ranking equally with those already subscribed are now offered for Public Subscription payable as to $1.00 per share on application. The balance due on each share, viz., $9.00, will be called up as and when required by instalments of $1.00 per share at intervals of not less than three months between each call.

Any of the shares now offered to the public which may not be subscribed for will be allotted in such manner as the Directors shall determine.

DIRECTORS:

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C. E. H. Beavis, Esq., 9 Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Solicitor.
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The Reverend Father L. Robert, Procure General des Missions Etrangers, Pocureur General.
Wong Pak Son, Esq., 220, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Merchant.

BANKERS:

The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

AUDITORS:

Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth and Fleming, Accountants, No. 5 Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong.

SOLICITORS:

Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist, No. 9, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong.

REGISTERED OFFICE OF THE COMPANY.

No. 10, Ice House Street, Victoria, Hongkong.

PROSPECTUS.

(a.) This Company has been formed principally for the purpose of building houses in the Colony of Hongkong with a view to meeting the great demand for housing accommodation which exists in the Colony at the present time.

(b). In particular it is proposed to take advantage of the offer recently made by the Government for the grant of land for building purposes on the basis of the scheme explained by The Colonel Secretary at a Meeting of the Legislative Council in June, 1923.

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The Promoters have already received about 2,000 applications from persons desiring to obtain the assistance of the Company in building homes for the applicants.

The Promoters will also entertain, and, if thought advisable take up any other scheme or schemes which may be proposed by the Government for the acquisition of land for building and development.

(c) The Company is also empowered by its Memorandum of Association to undertake business of all kinds connected with the development of building areas.

(d.) The minimum subscription on which the Directors may proceed to allotment is 100,000 shares.

(e.) No commission or promotion money is being paid by the Company.

(f.) The Company will pay the preliminary expenses of and incident to the formation and floating of the Company down to the time when it becomes entitled to commence business, and the estimated amount thereof is $5,000.

(g.) Frederick Ellis will be the first Managing Director under a contract with the Company at a remuneration of 5 per cent. of the net profits of the Company.

(h.) The Articles of Association provide that the qualification of a Director is to be the holding of 500 shares in the Company and that the remuneration of each of the Directors is to be $1,000 per annum.

(i.) None of the Directors or Promoters are interested in the promotion of the Company except to the extent of the shares taken by them in the Company.

(j.) Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company can be inspected at the office of Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist, Solicitors for the Company, at any time during business hours.

(k.) A copy of the Company's Memorandum of Association is annexed to this Prospectus and forms part to it.

(l.) Application for shares should be made upon the form accompanying the Prospectus and sent to the Company's Bankers together with a remittance of $1.00 per share, the amount of the deposit.

Where no allotment is made the deposit will be returned in full and where the number of shares allotted is less than the number applied for a proportionate amount of the deposit will be returned.

(m.) Prospectuses can be inspected at and Forms of Application obtained from the Company's Bankers, the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation and at and from the offices of the Company at No. 10, Ice House Street, Victoria, Hongkong.

Dated the 20th day of October, 1923.

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T. F. 220

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Chanchun	Harbin	Shanghai
Chefoo	Hongkong	Peking
Dairen	Manchouli	Tientsin
Hailar	Kashgar	Yokohama
Hankow	Newchwang	Urumtchi

SHANGHAI BRANCH
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars. Terms on application. Local Bills discounted.
Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.
SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES.
L. Jezieraki.
P. Petithuguenin.
Ch. Bleuler.
Managers for Branches in Asia.

Bank of Communications

(Specially authorised and made a National Bank by Presidential Mandates of April 7th, 1911 and October 31st, 1915).
Capital: Dollars 20,000,000.00
President: Hon. Mr. Chang Chien.
Vice-President: Mr. Chien Yung-Ming.
HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement. Credit granted on approved securities. Special facilities for Transfers to all parts of China.
SHANGHAI BRANCH:
14 The Bund
Chen Chu Hsu Manager.
T. D. Woo, Sub-Manager.
S. T. Huang, Sub-Manager.
S. V. Yuen, Sub-Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1.00 will be received.
Not more than $200 will be received during one month from any single Depositor.
Interest at the rate of 3½ % per annum will be allowed upon the monthly minimum balance.
The maximum balance on which interest will be allowed is $5,000.00.
Deposits may be withdrawn on Demand. Accounts will be kept either in Dollars or Taels, Local Currency, at the option of the Depositor.
Depositors will be presented with Pass Books, in which all transaction will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.
OFFICE HOUSE, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m. to noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Ltd.

Incorporated 1912.
Capital Authorised ..$1,200,000.0.0
Capital Paid-up $1,068,520.0.0
Reserve Fund H. K. ..$ 800,000.00

HEAD OFFICE:
No. 6 Des Voeux Road Central Hongkong.

OFFICES:
Shanghai, New York, Canton and Bangkok.

SHANGHAI OFFICE:
No. 1 and 2 Ningpo Road.

AGENCIES:

Honolulu	S. Francisco	Kobe
London	Sourabaya	Batavia
Manila	Singapore	Canada
Yokohama	Samarang	etc.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Every description of banking and Exchange business transacted.
SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.
We shall open our Savings Department beginning on February 21st, 1923. Favorable terms given. Savings deposits are cordally invited.

WONG WEN KUANG,
Manager.

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce

Authorized Capital $10,000,000 00
Paid-up Capital ..... $ 7,500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
EXECUTIVE OFFICE:
SHANGHAI
BRANCHES:

PEKING	SHANGHAI
TSINAN	HARBIN
HANKOW	SHIHKIACHWANG
TIENTSIN	

Correspondents throughout the World including the Interior of China.
SHANGHAI OFFICE:
11A Nanking Road
Telegraphic Address:
"Sinambank" Shanghai
Codes Used:
Bentley's Complete Phrase
Western Union Code
Whitelaw's 401 Millions Code
Transacting a General Banking Business, Issuing Drafts and Making Telegraphic Transfers, Buying and Selling Foreign Exchange, Issuing Commercial and Circular Letters of Credit, Allowing Interest on Fixed Deposits, Current Accounts, and Savings Accounts.
YOUR BANKING BUSINESS SOLICITED

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Subscribed Capital .. 72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital 68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1-6-20) 69,500,000.00
HEAD OFFICE:
No. 96 Boulevard Hanoomann Paris.

Branches and Agencies:

Saigon	Hanoi	Tourane
Haiphong	Hankow	Tientsin
Peking	Canton	Mengtze
Hongkong	Pondichery	Bangkok
Singapore	Shanghai	Noumea
Papeete	Djibouti	Yunnanfu
Pnom-Penh	Battambang	

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais.

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts in taels and francs according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN,
Manager.

International Banking Corporation

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS
U.S. $10,000,000.00
Owned by the National City Bank of New York.

HEAD OFFICE:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
LONDON OFFICE:
36 BISHOPSGATE, E.C.

BRANCHES

Barcelona	Manila
Batavia	Panama
Bombay	Peking
Calcutta	Rangoon
Canton	San Francisco
Cebu	Santo Domingo
Colon	Shanghai
Dairen	Singapore
Hankow	Soerabaya
Harbin	Tientsin
Hongkong	Tokio
Kobe	Yokohama
Madrid	

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts and Savings Bank accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.
We are also able to offer our Customers the services of the Branches of the National City Bank of New York in the principal countries of South America and in the West Indies.

N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
1A Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital $60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital $19,760,100.00
Reserve Fund $ 6,033,345.41

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dairy	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tainan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking
etc.,	etc.,	etc.

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Berlin, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka and Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
12 The Bund
Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

(Netherlands Trading Society)
Established 1824

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 19,769,181 about £1,647,432)
Special Reserve: Guilders 22,660,000 (about £1,888,333).

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Pekalongan
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	Penang
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheriben	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerakarta
Kobe	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Tegal
Makassar	Tjilatjap
Medan	Welteyreden
Padang	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.
The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.
Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

E. J. KERBCHELLER,
Agent.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1918)

Subscribed Capital $2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital $1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund $200,000.00

SHANGHAI BRANCH
27 Jinkee Road
Telegraphic Address "CHUNGFOO"
Telephone Numbers .... C. 1929 Manager's Office.
C. 6468)
C. 6469) General Office.
C. 6470)
C. 5620 T. T. Department.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES IN CHINA

TIENTSIN	Changsha	Hsuchow	Shasi
SHANGHAI	Chengtan	Ichang	Soochow
PEKING	Chengchow	Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu
HANKOW	Chinkiang	Nanking	Wusieh
ANTUNG	Fengtien	Ningpo	Wuhu
CANTON	Hangchow	Pengpu	Yangchow
CHANGCHUN	Hongkong	Shaoshing	

FOREIGN AGENCIES AND CORRESPONDENTS

Baltimore	Cincinnati	Montreal	San Francisco
Berlin	Cleveland	New York	Seattle
Boston	Detroit	Osaka	St. Louis
Buffalo	Kobe	Philadelphia	Tokio
Cebu	London	Pittsburgh	Washington
Chicago	Manila	Paris	Yokohama

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement. Savings Deposits taken. All kinds of Trust Business undertaken.
Safe Deposit Boxes.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

MEMBER OF THE SHANGHAI BANKERS' ASSOCIATION

Head Office: 9 Ningpo Road, Shanghai.

Capital paid up $2,500,000.00
Reserve ... ... $ 470,000.00

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits. Credits granted on approved securities.

K. P. CHEN
General Manager

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up $3,500,000.00
Reserved Fund $850,823.80
Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2612, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin.
Foreign Correspondents: London, New York, San Francisco, Paris, Berlin, Zurich, Hamburg, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, and Osaka. Domestic Correspondents at all principal cities in China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.
Interest allowed on Deposit at call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
SAVINGS ACCOUNTS 4% PER ANNUM
Every description of banking business transacted.
MODERN SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT

If you have business in the Far East—

The kind of a bank you need to help you is one whose business is exclusively of the Far East—

A BANK whose name and reputation will win the respect and confidence of your customers—a bank that is versed in the methods of the East; that knows its customs and markets—a bank that is your experienced business counselor as well as your financial agent.

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ORGANISED and managed by the officers and directors of The Equitable Trust Company of New York, it will give you the same prestige abroad and the same personal service that distinguishes the parent organization—with the added convenience of a separate bank devoted exclusively to Oriental business.

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37 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
SHANGHAI OFFICE: 6 KIUKIANG ROAD
Capital Surplus and Undivided Profits U.S. $2,850,000
CENTRAL 7944. A. E. SCHUMACHER, Manager

行業商工

Head Office: Hongkong. Branch Office: Hankow.

THE INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL BANK, LTD.

Shanghai Branch
51 KIANGSE ROAD

Every description of banking transacted. Correspondents in China and abroad.
Telegraphic Address: "KONGSHAN."

CHU KINHOW, Manager,
Shanghai Branch.

Tel. Nos. C.3204, 5816 and 9553.

行銀亞東

The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 10 Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital $10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital $ 5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund H.K. $ 500,000.00
HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon.
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital ... 5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital 2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance, On fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

行銀業商方東

Oriental Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Authorised Capital .. $5,000,000
Paid up Capital $2,500,000
Head Office: Hongkong
Branches: Canton, Bangkok.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Credits granted on approved securities.
SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.
Special Savings Department for ladies in charge of Chinese ladies well educated and experienced in modern banking.
Bankers.
New York National City Bank.
Westminster Foreign Bank (London),
Union Trust Co., of S. Francisco
The Canton Bank of S. Francisco

L. C. WAI,
Manager.
36 Kiangse Road.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars. 4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire 16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver $1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire 4,000,000
Reserves ..... Silver $150,000
Head Office: Shanghai.
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin.
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise et Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris, Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company,
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belga,
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de la Baie.
Lien and Co.'s Bank,
Banca Unione de Credito,
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Sinit
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Road
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
Managers' Office Central 3004.

C. MARMONT,
CHIN YU SHU,
General Managers

Passengers Arrived

Per C.N. s.s. Luenyi from Hankow and Ports, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Keith and child, Messrs. Bourect, W. H. Robinson, F. Fowler, Lang, one Naval rating.

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Atsuta Maru from Europe: Misses L. Berkin, F. Cheetham, E. Christiansen, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Christiansen, Mrs. C. F. Mei, Mrs. Ah. Chang, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Denegri, Masters P. and A. Hambury, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Piercy, Miss R. K. and Master P. Piercy, Mrs. B. J. Poulman, Miss I. and H. Poulsen, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Puddicombe, Miss I. S. Perry, Mrs. L. L. Phillips, Dr. R. A. M. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wall, Misses D. M. Wall, G. M. Ware, Sisters J. Brink, H. Bodt, Rev. M. Derke, Rev. N. Etten, Miss L. Gustafsson, Dr. T. L. Hiller, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mair, Miss A. and Master D. Mair, Miss M. Nicholson, Rev. R. Peasers, Sister A. Roey, Sister M. Roey, Mr. and Mrs. T. Woochaun, Master G. and C. Wouchan, Miss H. and Master L. Wochuan, Messrs. A. Bowes, W. B. Coleman, S. Hawkin, D. M. Logan, H. F. Newton, K. Ubagas, W. Wilson, J. C. Chittenden, A. Chittenden, J. Fujimoto.

Per N.S. s.s. Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo: Mr. W. Scoff, Capt. Watson.

Per C.N. s.s.H sin Peking from Ningpō: Mrs. Doody.

Per I-C. s.s. Kungwo from Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. H. Weber, Mr. and Mrs. Hillman, Mr. J. E. Doyle, Gen. Sir John and Lady Fowler, Mr. N. S. Little; from Ngankin: Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Lopes; from Wuhu: Mrs. W. H. G. Weippert; from Nanking: Mrs. Gordon Tillie.

Per C.M. s.s. Haean from Foochow: Mr. Gray.

Per C.N. s.s. Sunning from Amoy: Mr and Mrs. Wright.

Per C.M. s.s. Hsinming from Tientsin. Messrs. Piphany, Burke.

Per C.N. s.s. Shuntien from Tientsin: Mr. and Mrs. Jupp, Mr. J. J. Evans Mr. and Mrs. Knight; from Chefoo: Mr. C. J. Malcolm; from Weihaiwei: Misses Wadman, Shaw, Mrs. Shaw.

Provision Prices In Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on November 6, 1923.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	16-20
Mutton	„	15-20
Pork	„	30-40
Veal	„	24-25
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	16-20
Cod	„	16-20
Mandarin	„	30-40
Mackerel	„	30-40
Pomfret	„	40-50
Salmon	„	25-30
Samli	„	none
Soles	„	30-35
Whitebait	„	none
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	$2.00-$3.00
Eggs	per doz.	25-30
Fowl	per lb.	35-50
Hare	each	35-40
Partridge	„	none
Pheasant	„	80-90
Geese	„	80-$1.00
Plover	„	none
Pigeons	„	20-22
Quail	„	16-18
Snipe	„	16-18
Teal	„	16-18
Turkey	per lb.	45-50
Woodcock	each	50-80
Wild Duck	„	35-40
Duck	„	40-90
Wild Pigeon	„	10-12
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	„	20-25
Banana	„	7-8
Chestnuts	„	14-20
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	15-20
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	20-25
Grape fruit	each	20-25
Lemons	„	9-10
Lichees	per lb.	none
Oranges	per dozen	$1.20-$1.44
Peaches	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	none
Melons	„	none
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Persimmons	per lb.	10-12
Pears	„	16-18
Pomeloes	„	none
Plums	„	none
Pumeloes	each	20-25
Pineapples	„	10-12
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	„	15-20
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	4-5
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Beetroot	per bunch	3-5
French Beans	„	6-8
Cabbages	each	6-8
Celery	per bunch	10-12
Carrots	„	4-5
Cauliflower	each	50-60
Egg Plant	per lb.	10-12
French Beans	„	5-7
Green Corn	„	2-3
Peas	„	8-10
Leeks	per bunch	5-6
Parsnips	„	4-5
Potatoes	per picul	$2.00-$2.20
Radishes	per punch	1-2
Onions	per lbs.	4-5
Spinach	„	3-4
Tomatoes	„	4-5
Turnips	per bunch	2-3
Grain and Flour		
Flour American	per 50 lbs.	$4.00
Flour Shanghai	„	$2.80
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$3.10
Barley	„	$4.00
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$11.60
Milk		
Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.30
Foreign dairies	„	$0.35
Fuel		
Fire Wood	per 40 bundles	$1.00
Stove Coal	per ton Tls.	12.75
House Coal	„	15-75

W. Kilner,
Chief Inspector.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST
Yesterday's Closed

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	H.$1,115 B
Chartered	£19½
Russo-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$660 B.
North China	Tls. 138
Union of Canton	H.$234 B.
Yangtsze	H.25½ B.
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 22 B.
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$133 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$500 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$142½
Indo-China Pref.	H. $88¼ B.
"Shell"	80/-
S'hai Tug ord.	Tls. 80
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 54 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 21 B.
Oriental Cons.	13/-
Raub	$5¼ B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$151 B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 91¼
New. Eng. Works	Tls. 7
" Pref.	Tls. 5.35 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 193
Hongkong Wharf	H.$155½ B.
Lands and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$45 B.
S'hai Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
A.-French Land.	Tls. 122 B.
Shanghai Land.	Tls. 122½
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 53
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 13½ B.
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 112 B.
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 10
Oriental	Tls. 5.60 B.
Shanghai Cotton.	Old 76
	New 51
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	$233 B.
Green Island	$25 B.
Langkats	Tls. 34 S.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 95
Stores	
Hall and Holts	Tls. 6¾ B.
Llewelyn	Tls. 35 B.
Lane Crawford	Tls. 103½ B
Mourtrie	$55 B.
Watson	H.$22 B.
Weeks	$11 S.
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Tls. 7 B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.60
Anglo-Java	Tls. 7 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 3.05 B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 23
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 1.07½ B.
Bute	Tls. 0.82½ B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 1.15 B.
Chemor United	Tls. 1.15 B.
Champedak	Tls. 6½ B.
Chong	Tls. 1½ B.
Consolidated	Tls. 2.90
Dominion	Tls. 2.40
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 9¼ B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 12¾ B.
Kapaying	Tls. 12¾ B.
Karan	Tls. 7.10 B.
Kedah	Tls. 1.30 B.
Koth Bahroe	Tls. 1.12½ B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 16
Padang	Tls. 6.40 B.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1.32½
Permata	Tls. 3.10 B.
Repah	Tls. 0.92½ B.
Samagagas	Tls. 0.85 B.
Seekees	Tls. 1.30
Semambu	Tls. 1.37½
Senawang	Tls. 1.12½ B.
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.65 B.
Shanghai Malay.	Tls. 4.35 B.
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 9
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 0.85 B.
Sungala	Tls. 1½
Sungei Duri	Tls. 9.15
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3.70
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.70 B.
Taiping	Tls. 0.77½
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.75 B.
Tebong	Tls. 1½ B.
Ziangbes	Tls. 3.70 B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 13 B.
Shanghai Trams.	Tls. 40 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 176 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 73 B.
S'hai Waterworks	

S. Sellers, Sa. Sales, B. Buyers

Money Exchange

Shanghai, November 12, 1923

Mex. Dollar market rate	72.825
Native Interest	17
Copper Cash	248.500
Shanghai Gold Bar	335.80
Bar Silver	32⅞
Bank rate of Discount	4%
Paris on London	78.40
New York on London	438⅝
London—	
Telegraphic Transfer	3/1⅛
Demand	3/1⅝
New York—	
Telegraphic Transfer	68½
Demand	68¾

OPENING RATES
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Open quotations 9:30 a.m.
BANKS SELLING RATES

London T.T.	3/1
London Demand	3/1⅛
London 3 m-s.	3/1¼
India T.T.	221¼
France T.T.	1190
America T.T.	68¾
Hongkong T.T.	74
Japan T.T.	71¾
Batavia T.T.	182½
Straits T.T.	76¼

BANKS' BUYING RATE

London 4 m-s. Credits	3/2½
London 4 m-s. Docts	3/1¾
London 6 m-s. Credits	3/3
London 6 m-s. Docts	—
France 4 m-s.	1250
America 4 m-s. L/c	72
Docs	72½

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates
@ 71=Tls. 140.85
@ exch.73=Mex. $192.94
Sovereign Bank Buying Rate
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November 12, 1923

Spot bar silver was up ¼d. and forward ⅛d. in London on Saturday. The New York price was unchanged and the London-New York cross rate declined to 439.

Our market here at the opening was firm and became very strong in the course of the day.

In the early part of the morning same business in Sterling was done at 3s. 2⅝d. for November delivery, 3s. 2¼d. December and 3s. 2⅛d. January. Gold Dollars were done at 70⅛ for near delivery and 70 for forward.

However, there were sellers at these rates and the market quickly firmed up closing with sellers of Sterling at 3s. 2⅝d. November delivery, 3s. 2⅝d. December and 3s. 2½ January.

There were sellers of Gold Dollars at the close at 70⅝ for November delivery and 70⅝ for December-January. There were sellers of Yen at 68¼ for November and 68⅝ December-January.

Banks were quoting 3s. 3½d. for Sterling bills for near delivery and 3s. 3d. for forward. They were quoting 73 for Gold Dollar bills for near delivery and 72⅝ for forward, and 1285 for Franc bills.

India and China both bought silver in London on Saturday and the market is reported as closing firm. New York report their market as steady.

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Transactions

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The Washington Conference

THERE has been a tendency recently in certain quarters in the Far East to blame the Washington Conference for the present debacle of China, to hold Secretary Hughes, Mr. Balfour and their associates who sat around the conference table in Washington from November 12, 1921 to February 6, 1922 responsible for all of the ills of China which have come to the surface since the close of the Washington gathering. It is a fact that conditions in China have steadily worsened since the close of the Washington Conference. Foreigners and Chinese are agreed upon this, but to charge all of the present troubles of China to the Washington Conference is about as sensible as it would be to charge the present Municipal Council of Shanghai with responsibility for the congested streets and traffic problems which exist today in this city.

The Washington Conference is in no degree responsible for the collapse of government in China: it would have collapsed just the same if there had been no Washington conference. The only place where the Washington conference has had any effect whatever in connection with the present situation in China is in regard to the position of the Powers in dealing with the collapse of China. And in this respect there isn't much question but what most thinkers are agreed that the position of the Powers is tremendously improved over what would have been the case had the Washington Conference not been held. If, for the sake of argument, there had been no Washington Conference, we would now have Japan virtually with a free hand in China, backed by the alliance with Great Britain and with a whole series of secret agreements in force, sitting securely in control of Shantung province. The entire international alignment would be different and in consequence, whatever plan is finally adopted to meet the situation in China, would have been effected by these conditions. If there had been no Washington Conference, the logical result of the present collapse of government in China, would be the dismemberment of China among Japan and the European Powers, with China subordinated entirely and the United States crowded out entirely, or if not crowded out forced to participate in the scramble for a section of China. This would have meant war in the Orient between America and Japan with Great Britain in the unenviable position of being forced to either live up to the Anglo-Japanese alliance and take up arms against the United States, or on the other hand forced to scrap her agreement with Japan and help the United States.

This may be carrying the case to extremes, but we believe that the present alignment of the Powers as brought about by the Washington Conference with America, and Great Britain in perfect accord and in co-operation with Japan and France and Italy Belgium, Holland, and Portugal, that the situation is far better than it would have been had the status of the Powers in respect to the Far East been maintained. And especially when we consider the present dangerous situation which has developed in Europe, there does not seem to be much ground left for those critics who assert that the position of the Powers would have been better in respect to China had there been no Washington Conference. If the Powers which participated in the Washington Conference are to be criticised for anything, it must be on the grounds of their inactivity in respect to China conditions since the close of the Washington gathering and even this is not altogether their fault, or rather the fault of all of the Powers, for most of the delay in bringing into effect some of the most important accomplishments of the Conference —we are thinking especially of the Special Tariff Conference—is due to the failure of France up to the present to ratify the various China treaties and resolutions. France's reasons for failure to ratify are doubtless perfectly legitimate from the standpoint of French national interests in the Far East and elsewhere, but it is to be hoped that the difficulties standing in the way of her ratification will be settled soon so that ratification can take place at the meeting of the chamber of deputies this fall.

The Washington Conference accomplished nothing new in respect to China. It simply got together in the form of definite treaty commitments, the various expressions of the Powers during the last half century, in respect to their China policies. Every nation, for instance, having dealings with China was committed to the Open Door, but each nation was applying its own interpretation and this resulted in universal jealousy and charges of bad faith all around. Now there can be no misunderstanding for it is all set forth as clearly as the English and French languages can express ideas and China is a party to the agreement. It was not necessary to apply force in obtaining agreement to this treaty—the representatives of the various nations signed it freely and wholeheartedly—and hence it is assumed they meant what they said when they agreed: (1) To respect the sovereignty, the independence, and the territorial and administrative integrity of China; (2) To provide the fullest and most unembarrassed opportunity to China to develop and maintain for herself an effective and stable government; (3) To use their influence for the purpose of effectually establishing and maintaining the principle of equal opportunity for the commerce and industry of all nations throughout the territory of China; and (4) To refrain from taking advantage of conditions in China in order to seek special rights or privileges which would abridge the rights of subjects or citizens of friendly states, and from countenancing action inimical to the security of such States.

It is a custom on the part of many Chinese, especially the more radical and vocal elements, to charge the foreigner with responsibility for the present mess in which the Chinese people find themselves. There is of course some ground for this when we consider the whole history of the rivalries of the West in its contacts with the East but what many Chinese fail to do is to analyse their own side of the question fairly and impartially. For example it is wrong for a foreigner to bribe a Chinese official in order to obtain some special privilege or monopoly, but on the other side it is far worse from the standpoint of China as a nation to have officials of the character who will accept bribes. The plain truth of the matter now is that the Chinese themselves are principally responsible for the present collapse of China and most thinking Chinese realise it. Had China's officials possessed the foresight to grasp the opportunity presented by the Washington Conference, the present deplorable conditions might have been avoided. But they failed and it is now the problem of the Powers *under the Washington Conference agreements* to find a remedy, which phase of the question will be reserved for future discussion in these columns.

Political Crime Again?

IT is to be hoped that the attempted assassination of General Hsu Kuo-liang is not the forerunner of a series of such untoward occurrences, as has too often been the case in previous times. What was the motive for the crime has not yet been divulged, but it is a little difficult to believe that politics does not play an important part in the drama. With one or two exceptions, Shanghai of late years has been free from this form of political warfare, almost even since the murder of Chen Chi-mei, but the fact that the two settlements have long provided a safe asylum for politicians renders it at all times a likely place for the furtherance of political ends by means of the knife, bomb and pistol.

Fortunately, however, this type of argument has not been so freely indulged in of late as it was in the earlier years of the republic, and though a few had to pay the penalty of incurring the active dislike of their opponents, the sense of security created by some years of peace has been more apparent than real. We cannot blind our eyes to the fact that the liberal policy adopted in Shanghai on the question of political refugees, has kept our police intelligence services very much on the *qui vive*, and though they take every possible care to prevent such occurrences as that of Saturday it cannot but be expected that, vigilant though they may be, an isolated case of political assassination is bound now and again to occur.

At this stage in Chinese politics there is grave danger that such an attempt as was witnessed on Saturday night may be repeated, for the Treaty ports offer a suitable refuge for men of high standing, in fear for their lives or, perhaps, their liberty. And while we are in sympathy with any policy which affords men asylum against the activities of those with differing political views, we cannot regard the possibility of Shanghai again becoming the scene of the assassin's exploits with equanimity.

Exactly how the authorities should cope with such a threatened situation we do not at present know. Certainly we might carry to a logical conclusion the practice of informing a person that his presence in the foreign Settlements is not desirable, and prevail on him to leave for other places equally safe. Or we might definitely lay it down that Shanghai shall be neither the Alsatia for rogues, nor a home for political intriguers and their murderous opponents.

We are not going to assert for one moment that General Hsu comes within any one of these categories. Indeed there is reason to believe that during his tenure of office he has shown considerable ability and a strong tendency towards maintaining the peace of this district. Nor can we suggest that in his case the authorities could have erected any effective bar against his entrance into Shanghai. He was not a political refugee, but merely an inhabitant of the district enjoying right, as much his as any one's else of coming into the foreign settlements on his own business.

General Hsu has earned the esteem of foreigners who knew him, by the earnest service he has given his office. It will be a matter of regret if the attempt of Saturday has anything but a happy ending, so far as he, personally, is concerned. And we wish him a speedy recovery. On the other hand, without in anyway considering the question of the innocence or guilt of the person at present in custody, it is permissible to express the hope that whoever is guilty of this outrage will be made to suffer the appropriate penalty.

If, as it is contended on one side the whole affair has more of a personal side than a political, probably punishment of whoever is found guilty of the act will be sufficient, but should political elements point to the existence of others behind the crime for political purposes we hope that the authorities will take such steps as will impress upon those who would make this settlement a happy hunting ground for assassins, that such a state of affairs will not be tolerated by the foreigner for one instant. We should be the last to deny asylum to those likely tobe persecuted for their political convictions, but we cannot refrain from the comment that the very existence of such places as the Treaty ports, offering easily accessible refuge, tends to foster political intrigue in China, and at the same time to involve our settlements as the scene where ultimate revenge may be wreaked on the unfortunate fugitive. In the case of General Hsu this does not appear wholly to be the case, but we cannot but feel that should argument by assassination again become fashionable, Shanghai is likely to be the scene of as many tragedies as it has in the past. The danger Shanghai runs in this respect is all the more obvious, if as we are informed is the case, there is hardly a prominent leader in China who has neither wealth stored in this settlement nor money invested in its land.

Stimulating Discourses

WITH EXCERPTS FROM GREAT THINKERS

By Mathy

ONE WITH THE DIVINE

THE secret of all health, prosperity, and happiness is being in conscious union with the Divine.

The late Professor Shaler, of Harvard University, said that the greatest discovery of the last century was that of the unity of everything in the universe, the oneness of all life.

This idea that there is but one principle running through the universe, one life, one truth, one reality, that this power is divinely benificent, and that we are in this great current principle, which is running Godward, is one of the most inspiring, encouraging, and fearkilling that ever entered the human mind.

Life will take on new meaning when we come into the realisation of our at-one-ment with this great creative, sustaining principle of the universe.

The realisation that in the truth of our being we are actually a part of this great principle, a necessary, inseparable part of it, and that we can no more be annihilated than can the laws of mathematics, that we must partake of all of the qualities which compose our Creator, that we must, be perfect and immortal because we were created by Perfection, are a part of immortal Principle, solves the greatest mysteries of life and gives us a wonderful sense of security, safety, satisfaction, and contentment, which nothing else can give.

The constant contemplation of our union with the Infinite life, the realisation that literally "I and my Father are one," helps to establish a certainty, an assurance that we are not the playthings of chance, the puppets of accident or fate, that we are not tossed hither and thither in the universe the victims of a cruel destiny which we can not control.

Just in proportion as we realise this oneness with the Divine, this at-one-ment with our Maker, do our lives become calm, confident, creative.

There is no doubt that St. Paul had a glimpse of the union of man with this great creative sustaining Principle when he said: "For I am persuaded that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature shall be able to separate us from the love of God".

"Ye shall know the truth (of your divinity) and the truth shall make you free," that is, free from the slavery of fear, anxiety, care, free from the bondage of superstition, uncertainty, and limitation, free from the thought of poverty and distress.

The coming man will lose all sense of fear because he will be conscious of his oneness with Omnipotent Power.

The art of all arts is to be so entrenched, so poised in principle, so anchored in faith in everybody and everything—faith in the final triumph of harmony, truth, and justice—and to be so centered in truth that nothing can possibly shake us or disturb our equilibrium.

I have seen a delicate woman pass through sufferings and trials which would have sent most strong men and women to an insane asylum, and yet she never wavered or complained, but was always, even during the darkest hours, poise, helpful, serene, kindly, always full of love for her fellow men. There was a light in her eye which was not born of earth, because she was so entrenched in principle, in truth, so conscious of her oneness with the Divine, so completely in tune with the Infinite, and her faith was so gigantic, that nothing could happen to throw her off her center. Not even torture or starvation, or ostracism, could snuff out that divine light which shone in her eyes, or destroy her equanimity or serenity. She felt the presence of a Divine hand leading, guiding, protecting her, and she was not afraid.

It has ever been a mystery to the world that martyrs and prisoners could go through such sufferings and tortures, not only without a tremor of fear, but even with the assurance of victorious triumph. The reason is that they were anchored in eternal principle, buttressed by truth, justice, and right. Nothing could happen seriously to disturb them, because the hand that held them fast was Omnipotent, Divine.

The mind that has once caught a glimpse of its at-one-ment with Divinity, that has felt in tune with the Infinite, is never again afraid of anything that can happen to it, because it knows the closing of one door may only mean the opening of another, perhaps to infinitely greater and grander opportunity.

The closer we are to Divinity, the nearer we are to the limitless source of things. When we feel strongest, when we feel conscious of the power which is back of the flesh, but not of it, when we feel that we are in touch with Divinity, our power is greater and our supply larger.

(These discourses will appear regularly)

Editorial Comment

A peculiar interest attaches to the publication of a booklet by Mr. Yeh Kung-cho, an ex-Minister of Communications, on the outlook of railways in China in view of the frequent complaints made in recent years regarding the short-sighted policy of the Central Government in starving the railways of the necessary equipment. The want of additional rolling stock is seriously impairing the efficiency of the administration of the lines. Although in recent years traffic, both passenger and cargo, has increased at a tremendous pace, rolling stock has remained practically stationary. It would thus be seen that, handicapped as they are railway administration in the country have a formidable task before them.

Mr. Yeh Kung-cho, in discussing the drawbacks and the need for urgent improvements, takes a sane view of the facts as they appear. His long experience at the Ministry of Communications invests his booklet with importance, and the fact that he has not allowed his political leanings to color his views makes the contribution a useful one. Since the commencement of the modern communication system in China cash receipts and disbursements, including appropriation for sinking funds, amortisation, etc., of Chinese-government railways have never balanced each other, the deficit varying each year. In spite of the increasing revenue being derived from these railways development could not keep pace with the rapid growth of demand.

Probably things in time would have righted themselves if the Chinese Government did not lay hands on the revenue of the lines to pay general government expenses. Yuan Shi-kai set the first example during 1914 to 1916 when forty million dollars was diverted from the Ministry of Communications to the Treasury. Then came Wu Pei-fu who exacted direct tolls from the railways instead of going through the Treasury. It is therefore hardly surprising that communications in China should be in a paralysed state. They cannot function efficiently, being deprived of the necessary sustenance. Lines have to be greatly expanded and improved. If the revenues of the railways in China are not collared by the Central Government the lines could look after the improvements and the increase in rolling stock so urgently required.

The yearly net income of the railways amounts to more than 5 million dollars, and even assuming that half of this would go towards paying off interest, etc. there would be still at the disposal of the Ministry of Communications some 20 million dollars. It is hardly surprising that an improvements program cannot be carried out under the difficulties that the Ministry of Communications seems to face today. The author says that the Chinese people should release the railways in the country from foreign entanglement, but at the same time confesses that it would be next to impossible at present to do so and wipe out all the foreign debts.

His conclusions are quaint. Says he, as communications are the blood vessels of a country it would be worth every effort of the people to fight for their freedom. It is hoped that, with a determined object in mind and an eager lookout for chances, the accumulated advantages obtained through incessant and persevering struggles will eventually overcome the difficulties that tie down the growth of this important organ."

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Warm Ice And Cool Steam

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

"The other day we were talking about ice. One said that ice after it is frozen into a solid mass holds no higher or lower temperature. I claim that ice in the Arctic circle holds a lower temperature than does ice in the United States. There must be a difference of temperature in different climates. Would not ice in this section of the country melt the ice of the Arctic circle?—C. T. G., New Britain."

* * *

Such questions touch the foundation of our knowledge of nature. What is ice? Water in the solid state. Why is it solid? Because its molecules no longer possess, as they did while it was in the liquid state, enough vibratory energy to prevent them from being rigidly attached together. This molecular energy may manifest itself to our senses in the effect that we call heat.

When a river freezes, the air over it is warmed. When water is at the same temperature as our bodies we do not notice the heat energy that it contains. But if our hands are cold ordinary water seems warm to them. If more energy (molecular vibration) is imparted to the water it becomes sensibly warmer, and at last begins, visibly, to turn into the state of vapor.

At a certain temperature—the boiling point—all the water becomes vapor, or steam, because the increased energy in the molecules has reached an intensity that frees them entirely from their bonds and they fly apart, or expand, in all directions.

But the steam may have its temperature, i.e., its internal energy, raised far above the boiling point of water. In other words, water in the form of steam may have various degrees of temperature. Relatively speaking, there may be hot steam or cool steam.

So, too, when water is in the liquid state it may be warm or cold, although above a certain temperature or intensity of molecular vibration it cannot remain liquid, but changes to the vaporous state, while below a certain other temperature the freezing point, again it cannot remain liquid, but changes to the solid state. But between these two critical temperatures water may be so cold as to make you shiver at its touch, or so hot as to scald your hand. But even when it seems very cold it still retains sufficient heat, or energy of molecular vibration, to keep it liquid, and when it seems very hot it still has not enough heat energy to turn it into vapor.

Now, the same thing is true of water in the form of ice. The temperature may be only just sufficiently low to prevent the ice from melting back again to the liquid state, or it may be a great many degrees below the freezing point. So, just as there may be, relatively speaking, hot steam and cool steam, there may be cold ice and warm ice. But, as far as we know, lowering the temperature of ice cannot change it into anything except the solid state, while raising the temperature of steam does not take it out of the vaporous, or gaseous, state. But superheated steam and infra-cooled ice possess some special physical properties.

Your idea that ice from the Arctic regions would be "melted" by ice formed in New England, is not quite correct. In the first place, as a geographic and meteorological detail, when the New England climate is making ice it is not in humor for accepting slighting comparisons of its achievements with Arctic standards. But, anyhow, ice could not melt ice—except by the effects of pressure. Imagine a piece of ice from the Arctic "cold focus" placed in contact with one of the same dimensions frozen at our ordinary Winter temperature.

We may suppose that, without interference from outside conditions, the greater quantity of molecular energy contained in the "warmer" ice would be slowly distributed through the other, until the two pieces had attained the same temperature, which would be measured by the total energy contained in them divided by their combined cubic capacity.

The laws of thermo-dynamics tell us that heat energy, like water, flows down hill, i. e., from an area of higher level (temperature) to one of a lower level (temperature). The comparison is not a perfect one, but it may serve to give an idea of the matter. Broadly, the same law applies to all forms of energy. Electric energy passes from the high tension side toward the low tension.

Across The Breakfast Table

W. L. George And His Wife

SMOKING A PIPE AT HOME

Mrs. George: Men who can't smoke pipes decently shouldn't smoke at all. I like to see a man smoking a pipe better than anything else; he looks so comfortable; but the disgusting way you carry on nearly makes me sick. I know you say that everybody smokes pipes, but you should see yourself doing it.

First, when you fill your pipe, you spill the tobacco on the floor. Then you drop the red-hot end of the match on the carpet after you've lit your pipe. When the tobacco burns away you push the ash down with your finger, and then you smear the ash over anything you touch. Then you either let your pipe bubble, or you blow out the clot on to the wall paper, on a newspaper, on a curtain, on anything.

Finally, every window sill in the house is decorated with the remains where you've tapped your pipe out. Also, you can't keep it alight two minutes together; the whole house is strewn with match ends. There's a hole in the loose cover of my best armchair, where you dropped your pipe upside down when it did happen to be alight.

But that's not the whole of it: you smashed a coffee cup by tapping your pipe out on it, though I'd repeatedly asked you not to do it. You tap your pipe out on anything, marble mantelpieces, or chippendale sideboards.

Yes, I know you use a feather to clean your pipe out, but what becomes of the feather after you've used it? You leave it lying about, on your desk, or on your dressing table, or I find it down the side of a chair, smelling of . . . I feel sick at the thought of it.

Mr. George: But, dear . . .

:-: Dropped Dead :--

By Dr. Charles Fleischer

It is better to understand human nature than to berate it.

Indeed, if you do understand it, you will be very sympathetic with your human kin. Because we are all so "human" and so much of a kind.

It was no cheap cynic who first told us that human nature is the same the world over. That becomes increasingly obvious as the race grows older and the essential likeness increase.

Why not? Climate, culture, conditions — political, economic, social—tend to produce differences. But this difference is superficial and seeming, as compared with the deep-lying identity.

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For instance, hunger and sex are universal.

These facts are bound to be motive factors in all of us, far more potent than even, for instance, such rooted interests as religion and politics.

All the world loves a lover, and a lover loves all the world, because love expresses the irresistible drive and impulse of attraction common to us all.

Only the hardest hearted can resist the appeal to help the hungry, because few of us dare to keep two or three meals distant from the feeding trough.

So with the common interest in money. No one wants it to eat, but we all want it to meet our material needs.

From the normal desire for money to assure us each day our daily bread to the depth of money-madness for its own sake, the wish for money and wealth is nearly universal, because it is, first of all, the means to satisfy unescapable hunger and, then, it builds the avenues to gratify the long range of artificial human wants and needs.

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The inordinate love of money is the root of much, if not of all evil.

But the wish for wealth, and even for much of it is now so nearly second nature with practically all of us that it has taken its place with such primal motive forces as hunger and sex.

Therefore, it is easy to drop a sympathetic tear for the Italian ragpicker whose story was recently cabled from Paris.

He had become reconciled to poverty, when he learned that the death of an unknown cousin in Nice had left him the sole heir to a great fortune.

The incredulous ragman managed to borrow the fare to Nice, where he was assured of his fairy fall of wealth by the attorney in charge of the estate.

The shock of his joy was so great that he dropped dead in the attorney's office.

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Moral? There is none—that is, none in particular.

Except, perhaps, that it is well to be so poised that neither sex, nor hunger, nor wealth can bowl you over.

More Truth Than Poetry

BY S. E. KISER

The places that were merry in July
Have ceased to be enlivened by gay throngs;
Blue mists hang over hilltops that are high,
And Europe has her full supply of wrongs
The suave bootlegger's son has bought a car,
His daughter goes away to school this year;
How long and cool and dark the evenings are—
Autumn's here.

The baseball fans are somewhat saner now
Than when the pennant fight was being fought;
Professor Irving Fisher tells us how
He learned to think the thoughts that he has thought;
The early hunter hurries out and hunts,
Mistaking anything that moves for deer;
The League of Nations daily gets affronts—
Autumn's here.

Chautauqua circuit speakers have begun
To clip and gather jokes for future use;
The farmer is deserted by his son,
Who hears the city calling, cuts loose;
They've taken Fredd on the football squad,
And mother's heart is filled with constant fear;
Mere hootch is coming daily from abroad—
Autumn's here.

The girl shows draw the crowds as heretofore,
There's trouble in the Balkans more or less;
We never hear of Einstein any more,
But does H. Ford still interest us? Yes!
The cost of living still is on the rise,
They say that France is chewing England's ear;
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Vessels Loading

For River Ports

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUNGWO, 4,085 Tons, Captain Gibb, will sail for the above mentioned Ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, November 13, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. SIANGFOO, Capt. Maxwell, will leave on Wednesday, Nov. 14, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S.N. Co.'s S.S. SUIWO, 2,671 Tons, Captain Jackson, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, November 15, For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S.N. Co.'s S.S. TUCKWO, 3,770 Tons, Captain Campbell, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, November 16, For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Department.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUTWO, 3,664 Tons, Captain Dowson, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Monday, November 19, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. PINGWO, 2671 Tons, Captain Pellew, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, November 20, at about midnigh tthis vessel is specially constructed for the carriage of Heavy and Bulky cargo. For Freight apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extension to Freight Department.

For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The steamer HSIN KIANGTEEN, Captain Randbye, will leave on Tuesday, Nov. 13, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

WENCHOW.—The Str. FEI-CHING, Captain Manley, will leave on Tuesday morning, November 13. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

FOOCHOW.—The Str. HAEAN Capt. Stewart, will leave on on Wednesday morning, Nov. 14. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

For Northern Ports

CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The Str. HSINMING, Captain Taylor, will leave on Tuesday morning, November 13. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

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NEWCHWANG DIRECT.—The Str. TOONAN, Capt. Nielson, will leave on Wednesday morning, Nov. 14. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

CHINWANGTAO DIRECT.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatch the steamer KAIPING on November 15, 1923. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agent, 12 The Bund. Tel. C. 317.

For Foreign Ports

VICTORIA, SEATTLE, TACOMA AND VANCOUVER via MOJI, KOBE, YOKKAICHI AND YOKOHAMA.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo and Passenger Steamer HAWAII MARU, 20,000 tons, Captain S. Imai, will be despatched from O.S.K. Buoy on November 15, at 9 a.m. The last tender conveying passengers on board will leave Customs Jetty at 8 a.m. on 15th. For Freight or Passage, apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA, No. 2 Canton Road. Phone C. 4234.

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Steamers Arrived

Nov. 11—Hsin N'shao from N'po
Nov. 11—Hsin Peking from N'po
Nov. 11—Haean from Foochow
Nov. 11—Saikio M. from Dairen
Nov. 11—Kungwo from Hankow
Nov. 11—Wuchang from Hankow
Nov. 11—Tachang M. from H'kow
Nov. 11—Angkor from Marseilles
Nov. 11—Chungking from Amoy
Nov. 11—Hsinming from Tientsin
Nov. 11—Shuntien from Tientsin
Nov. 11—Tongan from Dairen
Nov. 11—Autolycus from L'pool
Nov. 12—Havelland from T'gtao
Nov. 12—Yatshing fro mH'kong
Nov. 12—Ningshao from Hankow
Nov. 12—Luenyi from Hankow
Nov. 12—F'gyang M. from H'kow
Nov. 12—Soochow from Pukow
Nov. 12—Patriot from C'w'tao
Nov. 12—Toonan from N'chwang
Nov. 12—Luchow from Hongkong

Shipping Items

RIVER PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Kiangwah left Hankow on Saturday and is due Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu left Hankow on Sunday and is due in in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Suiwio left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s Whangpu left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Tuckwo left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Tungting left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai next Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyung will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai next Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangan will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N s.s. Ngankin will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Liangchow left Hongkong on Saturday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Szechuen left Hongkong on Sunday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Tungshing is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Yingchow will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai next Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchang left Hongkong on Friday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Loksang is due in Shanghai from Hongkong and Swatow on Friday.

The I-C. s.s. Wingsang is expected to leave Hongkong for Swatow and Shanghai next Friday.

The I-C. s.s. Taisang will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is due in Shanghai via Swatow next Monday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Kingsing is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow afternoon.

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow left Tientsin on Sunday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow.

The D.K.K. s.s. Saikio Maru arrived in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao Sunday morning, and docked at the Whangpoo Wharf. The steamer will sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The C.N. s.s. Shantung will leave Tsingtao today and is due in Shanghai next Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Tingsang is due in Shanghai from Antung and Tsingtao on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Cheongshing left Chefoo for Hongkong and Canton on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Fausang is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei next Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Waishing left Tsingtao for Antung on Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinfung will leave Tientsin today and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo next Friday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Kaiping left Chinwangtao on Saturday and is due in Shanghai today.

The K.M.A. s.s. Times (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Japan left Calcutta on October 24 and is due in Shanghai via Rangoon and ports about November 16.

The B.S. s.s. Orissa left Calcutta on November 5, and is due in Shanghai about December 16.

The B.I. s.s. Tanda, from Calcutta, is expectel to leave Hongkong for Amoy and Shanghai tomorrow.

The B.I. s.s. Takada left Calcutta on Friday, November 9, and is due in Shanghai via Rangoon and ports about December 4.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. and O. s.s. Khiva left London at 2 p.m. Ooctober 27, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about December 5.

The P. & O. s.s. Macedonia was due to leave London on Friday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports about December 19.

The P. and O. s.s. Malwa will sail from Shanghai for London via ports today, and the tender with passengers for the steamer will leave the Customs jetty at 12:30 p.m.

The P. and O. s.s. Kaiser-I-Hind, from London on October 12, was expected to leave Singapore on Sunday afternoon, and arriving in Shanghai via Hongkong on November 21.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Sarpedon left Singapore on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong on November 15.

The N.D.L. s.s. Holstein left Singapore on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai on November 16.

The N.D.L. s.s. Schlesien left Antwerp on October 29 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on December 16.

The Blue Munnel s.s. Glaucus left Dairen on Sunday and is due in Shanghai today.

The P. and O. s.s. Kaiser-I-Hind, from London on October 12, is expected to leave Hongkong at 10 o'clock Friday morning, and arrives in Shanghai about Novebmer 19.

The P. and O. s.s. Mantua which left Shanghai on October 2, arrived in London on Friday noon, November 9.

AMERICAN LINES

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Pawlet is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, on November 21, and will sail for the same port via Tsingtao, Taku Bar and Dairen on November 24.

The Dollar s.s. Stuart Dollar is due to leave San Francisco for Kobe on November 15.

The Dollar s.s. Robert Dollar is due to leave San Francisco for the Orient on November 24.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President McKinley, from Seattle on October 29, was due at Yokohama on Saturday, and is expected in Shanghai next Thursday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jackson was due to leave Seattle on Saturday, and arriving in Shanghai via Japan on Nov. 27.

The P.M. s.s. President Taft was to leave San Francisco last Thursday, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on Nov. 28.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West O'Rowa is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, on December 9, and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on December 12.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Nomentum is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, on December 12, and will sail for the same port via Tsingtao, Taku Bar and Dairen on December 14.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Russia, which was due here from Vancouver next Friday, has been delayed owing to bal weather and is now expected at Woosung on Sunday. The liner will sail for Hongkong on Monday, November 19.

Passengers Departed

Per I-C. s.s. Luenho for Kiukiang: Mr. E. C. Bead, Mr. and Mrs. Berkin, Miss Berkin; from Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. Verrier, Mr. and Mrs. F. Lehman, Messrs. K. Begion, V. Haimovitch, J. C. Baull, L. Paul, Turphy, R. Pappre, A. B. Hykes, Mr. anl Mrs. Y. T. Chen.

Per C.N. s.s. Changsha for Hankow and ports: Lt. Comdr. J. L. Schaffer, Rear Adl. and Mrs. C. B. McVay, Mrs. J. D. Macdonald, Miss Chess, Mr. A. T. Campbell.

Steamers Departed

Nov. 10—Ermland for Kobe
Nov. 10—Aisuta M. for Japan
Nov. 11—Changsha for Hankow
Nov. 11—Nanyang M. for Hankow
Nov. 11—Fuji M. for Tsingtao
Nov. 11—Taksang for S. H. C'ton
Nov. 11—Sicilia for Bombay
Nov. 11—Glengarry for Japan
Nov. 11—Kwangse for T. N'ch'g
Nov. 11—Helenus for Japan
Nov. 11—Kanchow for A. H. C'ton
Nov. 11—Yusang for W. G. T'tsin
Nov. 11—Kungping for C. N'ch'g
Nov. 11—Takeshima M. for Japan
Nov. 11—Porthos for Japan
Nov. 11—Keulmen for C'king
Nov. 11—Fukwang for River ports
Nov. 11—S'gking for W. C. T'tsin
Nov. 11—Tseangtah for Hankow
Nov. 11—Meinan for Ningpo
Nov. 12—Kiangteen for Hankow
Nov. 12—Likin for cruise
Nov. 12—Chuentiao for cruise
Nov. 12—Wosang for Wuhu
Nov. 12—S. Strath for Balikpapan
Nov. 12—Kyokuto M. 2 for C'tao
Nov. 12—Benares for Yokohama
Nov. 12—Hsin Peking for N'po
Nov. 12—Hsin Ningshao for N'po

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

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Yankee Arrow .....Oct. 19
President Wilson .....Oct. 20
President Cleveland ...Oct. 27
Tenyo Maru .....Oct. 30
India Arrow .....Nov. 1
Tahchee .....Nov. 7
Korea Maru .....Nov. 8
President Pierce .....Nov. 10

FOR VANCOUVER

Empress of Asia .....Oct. 28

FOR SEATTLE

President Jackson ....Oct. 16
Kaga Maru .....Oct. 20
Eldridge .....Oct. 23
Manila Maru .....Oct. 23
President Jefferson ...Oct. 28
King Cadwalton .....Nov. 2
Canadian Skirmisher ..Nov. 3
Africa Maru .....Nov. 4
Iyo Maru .....Nov. 9
President Grant .....Nov. 9

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.

Elkridge .....Oct. 12
West Jena .....Oct. 14
Storviken .....Oct. 17
Alcinous .....Oct. 21
West Niger .....Nov. 2
West Cayote .....Nov. 8

FOR COLUMBIA

Mary Horlock .....Nov. 3

FOR NEW YORK

Archer .....Oct. 16
Patrick Henry .....Oct. 18
Hague Maru .....Oct. 27
Suruga .....Oct. 28
Slavic Prince .....Oct. 31
City of Oran .....Nov. 2
Taketoyo Maru .....Nov. 6
Teucer .....Nov. 10
Bolton Castle .....Nov. 10

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Elpenor .....Oct. 13
Karmala .....Oct. 16
Glenluce .....Oct. 19
Hakusan Maru .....Oct. 19
Atreus .....Oct. 25
Kitano Maru .....Oct. 27
Memnon .....Oct. 30
Caledonia .....Oct. 30
Teiresias .....Nov. 1
Nellore .....Nov. 2
Glenogle .....Nov. 3
Haruna Maru .....Nov. 3
City of Hankow .....Nov. 7
Adrastas .....Nov. 8
Doric Star .....Nov. 10

FOR HAMBURG

Weser .....Oct. 21
Paris Maru .....Oct. 21
London Maru .....Oct. 27
Amazon Maru .....Nov. 7

FOR ROTTERDAM

Oostkerk .....Nov. 10

FOR COPENHAGEN

Chile .....Nov. 2

FOR BARCELONA

Legazpi .....Oct. 20

FOR MARSEILLES

Cordilliere .....Oct. 12
C. P. Lecocq .....Oct. 14
Angers .....Oct. 26
Chili .....Nov. 10

FOR TRIESTE

Venezia .....Nov. 2

FOR ODESSA

Lenin .....Oct. 15

FOR INDIA

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Sicilia .....Nov. 11

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E/Australia	Dec. 24	Jan. 9	E/Russia	Aug. 2	Aug. 18
E/Asia	Jan. 12	Jan. 28	E/Australia	Aug. 18	Sept. 3
E/Russia	Feb. 9	Feb. 25	E/Asia	Aug. 30	Sept. 15
E/Australia	Feb. 25	Mar. 12	E/Canada	Sept. 15	Sept. 29
E/Asia	Mar. 15	Mar. 31	E/Russia	Sept. 27	Oct. 13
E/Russia	Apr. 5	Apr. 21	E/Australia	Oct. 13	Oct. 29
E/Australia	Apr. 21	May 7	E/Asia	Oct. 25	Nov. 10
E/Asia	May 10	May 26	E/Canada	Nov. 10	Nov. 24
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†Shanghai Maru ....Nov. 20
Omi Maru .....Nov. 20
Yamashiro Maru ....Nov. 24

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Shidzuoka Maru .....Nov. 24
Yokohama Maru .... Dec. 16

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FOR EUROPE
Kamo Maru .....Nov. 18
Katori Maru .....Dec. 1
Atsuta Maru .....Dec. 15
Kashima Maru .....Dec. 29

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fall, at spring 3½ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
3h. 2m.	7ft. 0in.	3h. 30m.	8ft. 7in.

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(The evening tides are higher than the morning tides.)
Approximate rise, 1½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M.		P.M.	
H.	M.	H.	M.
2	3	2	27

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Mon		Sun		Daylight	Dark
Rises	Sets	Rises	Sets		
10.51 a.m.	9.45 p.m.	6h. 24m.	5h. 3m.	5h. 39m.	5h. 48m.

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ANGKOR			7th Dec.
CHAMBORD	19th Oct.	9th Dec.	21st Dec.
PAUL LECAT	2nd Nov.	23rd Dec.	4th Jan.
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Nov. 19 — Vancouver	†E. of Canada	Br. C.P.S.
Nov. 20 — New York via Suez	Ajax	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 20 — New York via Suez	Eastern Prince	Br. Dod. & Co.
Nov. 21 — Seattle	†P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Nov. 23 — San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Nov. 24 — Portland, Ore.	Pawlet	Am. Lumber Co.
Nov. 24 — San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Nov. 24 — Seattle	Shidzuoka M'	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 25 — Tacoma	Alabama Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Nov. 29 — New York	Takaoka Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 30 — New York via Suez	C. of Corinth	Br. [illegible] & Co
Dec. 1 Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Dec. 3 — San Francisco	Siberia Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Dec. 3 — Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 12 — Portland, Ore.	W. O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co.
Dec. 14 — Portland, Ore.	W. Nomentum	Am. Lumber Co.
Dec. 14 — San Francisco	†Pres. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Dec. 15 — Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 16 — Seattle	Yokohama Mar	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 17 — San Francisco	†Taiyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Dec. 19 — New York via Suez	Calchas	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 20 — Vancouver	C. Freighter	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 22 — New York	Havana Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
Dec. 24 — Vancouver	†E. of Australia	Br. C.P.S.
Dec. 27 — Seattle	†P. Jefferson	AM. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 28 — San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Jan. 11 — San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Jan. 12 — Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C. P. S.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Nov. 18 N.M. Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 19 — N.M. Kobe, Osaka	Hakusan Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Nov. 19 — Kobe, Yokohama	Angkor	Fr. M.M. Cie
Nov. 20 — Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 20 M. Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 23 — Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 24 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap. N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Nov. 13 12.30 London	†Malwa	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 14 — Hamburg, etc.	Havelland	Ger. H. A. Linie
Nov. 15 — Hamburg, etc.	Machaon	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 15 — Rotterdam	Ouderkerk	Dut. H. O. T. Co.
Nov. 18 London, etc.	Kamo Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 18 — Bremen	Pfalz	Ger. Mel. & Co.
Nov. 20 — Hamburg, etc.	Glaucus	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 20 — London	†Nyanza	Br. M.M. & Co
Nov. 20 — Hamburg	A. von Raeyer	Ger. H. S. Line
Nov. 23 — Marseilles	†Porthos	Fr. M.M. Cie
Nov. 25 Hamburg	Glenamoy	Br. G.L.E.A.
Nov. 26 — Singapore	W. Prospect	Am. S. & B.
Nov. 27 — Liverpool	Oanfa	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 27 — London	Toyohashi M	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 27 — Scandinavia	Afrika	Dan. E. A. Co.
Nov. 27 London	†Kalyan	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 27 — Liverpool	Keemun	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 1 — London	†Katori Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Dec. 1 — Hamburg, etc.	C. of Karachi	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 3 — Hamburg, etc.	Glengarry	Br. G. L. E. A.
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Dec. 18 — Hamburg	Hindenburg	Ger. H. S. Line
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Dec. 25 — London	†Kaiser-I-Hind	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 26 — Hamburg, etc.	Dardanus	Br. B.& S.
Dec. 26 — Liverpool,	Diomed	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 27 — Hamburg, etc.	†Kashima M	Jap. N. Y. K.
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Jan. 3 — London	Patroclus	Br. B. & S.
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Nov. 16 D.L. A. H'kong, C'ton	Shantung	Br. B. & S.	
Nov. 17 — Hongkong, Manila	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line	
Nov. 18 — Hongkong	Siberia M.	Jap. T.K.K.	
Nov. 18 7.00 *S. H'kong; C'ton	Szechuen	Br. B. & S.	
Nov. 18 — Manila, Hongkong	Shidzuoka Mar	Jap. N.Y.K.	
Nov. 19 — Hongkong	E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.	
Nov. 29 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line	
Nov. 30 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.	
Dec. 1 — Hongkong, Manila	Yokohama M.	Jap. N.Y.K.	
Dec. 5 — Hongkong	Taiyo M.	Jap. T.K.K.	
Dec. 11 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Lin	
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Nov. 16 2.00 Newchwang	Ichang	Br. B. & S.	
Nov. 17 D.L. Tsingtao	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.	
Nov. 17 10.00 *W. C'foo, Tientsin	Tungchow	Br. B. & S.	
Nov. 18 9.00 *Tsingtao, Dairen	Chohei Maru	Jap. D.K.K.	

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Nov. 17 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 18 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
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TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Nov. 14	1 p.m.	Hawaii Maru	Tacoma	
Nov. 19	4 p.m.	E. of Canada	Vancouver	Dec. 3

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	10.30 a.m.	Malwa	Marseilles	Dec. 15
Nov. 14	8 p.m.	Machaon	Marseilles	

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11 a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Chita
Chefoo	Today	11.30 a.m.	Chungking
Tsingtao & Dairy	Today	12.30 p.m.	Seikio Maru
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	1.30 p.m.	Shuntien
Tsingtao	Today	9 p.m.	Yatshing
Newchwang	Today	9 p.m.	Toonan
Newchwang	Nov. 14	11.30 a.m.	Hanyang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Nov. 15	9 p.m.	Tingsang
Newchwang	Nov. 16	12.30 p.m.	Ichang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Nov. 17	8.30 a.m.	Tungchow

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Hongkong & Canton	Today	10.30 a.m.	Malwa
Hongkong & Canton	Today	11.30 a.m.	Sunning
Foochow	Today	9 p.m.	Hsean
Amoy and Swatow	Today	8 a.m.	Lushan Maru
Swatow	Nov. 14	9 p.m.	Tingsang
Hongkong & Canton	Nov. 14	8 p.m.	Machaon
Swatow	Nov. 14	11.30 a.m.	Soochow
Amoy	Nov. 15	9 p.m.	Shantung
Hongkong & Canton	Nov. 16	4 p.m.	E. of Russia

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Manila	Today	8 p.m.	W. Sequana
Japan ports	Nov. 14	11.30 a.m.	Kumano Maru
Germany, Ports	Nov. 15	12 noon	Havelland
Manila, Autsralia & N. Zealand	Nov. 16	4 p.m.	E. of Russia
Japan ports	Nov. 17	8 a.m.	Hakusan M.

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
1 C	Nov. 8	Algol	Fr. Gun-boat
1 C	Oct. 9	Calabria	Ital. Gun-boat
FNB	Oct. 27	Colmar	Fr. Cruiser
1 C	Aug. 2	E. Carlotto	Ital. Gun-boat
EEW	Nov. 7	Fushima	Jap. Gunboat
BNB	Nov. 3	Hawkins	Br. Cruiser
U.S.N.B.	Nov. 6	Helena	Am. Cruiser
Mc W	Mar. 23	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
McW.	Nov. 3	Petersfield	Br. Gun-boat
EEW	———	Sumida	Jap. Gun-boat
JNB	Nov. 8	4 Torpedo-boats	Jap. T. boat

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	Nov. 8. 16 h.	21 h.	Nov. 9. 4 h.	9 h.
Sun rises today at 6.24				
Sun sets today at 17.6				
Barometer (inches	30.40	30.40	30.37	30.37
Barometer (variation for 24 hours	+0.15	+0.04	−0.04	−0.12
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hours	−0.01	−0.09	−0.03	−0.03
Wind—Direction	N	N	N	NNE
Wind—Miles per hour	6.8	6.2	5.0	8.1
Temperature (Fahr.)	53°4	44°1	46°6	56°7
Humidity %	53	83	76	56
Nebulosity (0-10)	4	0	9	0
Rainfall, inches	—	—	—	—

SICCAWEI ABRIDGED REPORT
November 8.

		Mean 1923.	24 hrs. variation.	Previous average (50 yrs.) same period.
Temperature (Fahr.)	(Min. 40°3) (Max. 62°2)	30.42	+0.19	30.24
30.26	−0.02 30.22	51°2	−7°1	55°1
Rainfall since January 1 (ending midnight)		38.34	0.00	43.71

NOTICE

To whom it may concern.—

This is to inform the public that the drawing and motor car competition, as advertised for the sale of Flyosan by The Young Lee Co., has been indefinitely postponed.

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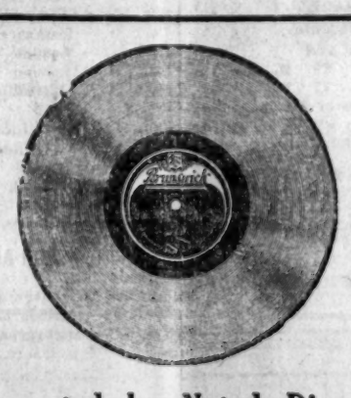

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Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	Nov. 13
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo*	Nov. 14
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	Nov. 14
Japan, *Calcutta*	Nov. 16
Kaiping, *Chinwangtao*	Nov. 13
Kiangshun, *Hankow*	Nov. 20
Kiangshin, *Hankow*	Nov. 18
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Ngankin, *Hankow*	Nov. 17
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Taisang, *Hongkong*	Nov. 19
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Tingsang, *Anlung*	Nov. 17
Tanda, *Calcutta*	Nov. 18
Tjibesar, *Rotterdam*	Nov. 15
Tjibodas, *Batavia,*	Nov. 15
Toonan, *Newchwang*	Nov. 12
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"The Abysmal Brute" will be the attraction at the Carlton Theater beginning tomorrow.

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In "The Abysmal Brute," which is Jack London's famous novel of the squared circle, adapted by A. P. Younger and directed by Hobart Henley, who made "The Flirt," Denny and Hayden Stevenson have the same relative positions as hero-fighter and manager. This is a feature which promises to be interesting to the multitude of fans who saw "The Leather Pushers," and it indicates an artistic excellence.

Mabel Julienne Scott of "No Woman Knows" and other special productions has a strong dramatic role opposite Denny in "The Abysmal Brute."

Weather Report

Nov. 11.—Moderate anticyclone between the Hwangho and the Yangtze. A typhoon appears in the low area of the Carolines and advances towrls NW between Guam and Yap. Light and variable breezes, to the N of the Saddles; moderate monsoon in the South; cyclonic winds in the typhoon. Fine day in N China and at Formosa; overcast weather with rain at places in our Valley.

Nov. 12.—A local depression passes in the north during the night, attended with some squalls and short showers. Overcast and colder weather, wind from WNW. Clearing up about sunrise.

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Weather.

Fine and cold weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 56.8 and the minimum 43.2, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 71.6 and 51.1.

The Mail Box

MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Str. E. of Canada, Nov. 19.
FROM U. S. and Europe, Str. Pres. McKinley, 6 p.m. tomorrow.
FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Kamo Maru, Nov. 17.
FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Kaiser-I-Hind, Nov. 19.

Australian Wool

The Season Opens
Great Interest Shown
Shortage Of Merinos

The opening of the new Australian wool season is a period of special significance to the wool textile trade throughout the world. This year it has coincided with conditions of an exceptional character, which have accentuated interest in the various selling centers in the Australian Commonwealth. These are the principal sources of supply of the merino wool used so extensively in the fine fabrics now in vogue in all Eastern countries, and the values realised in the primary markets during November and December will form the basis of cost for next year's manufacturing processes. Fine wool is relatively a dear commodity.

The question of price is now beginning to tell in spite of the dictates of fashion, with the result that more and more fine and medium cross-breds are being used in preference to merinos. It is as well that it should be so, because there is much less merino wool available now than there was a year ago. In the meantime the whole of surplus in the hands of the British-Australian Wool Realisation Association (Bawra) has been sold. Stocks in the hands of the trade are light comparatively speaking, and during the next twelve months the wool textile trade of the world will be dependent for its fine wools upon the new Australian clip, plus the supplies from South Africa and Monte Video.

JAPAN'S CONSUMPTION

An important consideration is the effect of the devastation in Japan due to the recent earthquake. No country in the world has made more rapid strides than Japan since the Great War in the amount of fine wool and fully manufactured goods consumed. The amount of wool textile machinery installed in Japan is four or five times greater than it was in pre-war times. Whereas Japanese imports of Australian wool used to be about 25,000 bales yearly, last year it was something like 150,000 bales. In fact the Japanese were a big factor in forcing up values throughout the last Australian season.

Another indication of the progress made is given by the Yokohama Chamber of Commerce which estimates that whereas the production of the mousseline de laine factories in Japan last year amounted to 100 million yards, this year the production was expected to be 140 million yards. As it was made before the earthquake these figures require revision. The greater part of the wool textile machinery, it might be added, was outside the zone of devastation. The point naturally arises as to whether the heavy financial losses sustained and the consequent reduction in the purchasing power of the people will have an important effect upon Japanese purchases in Australia in the coming season. It is reasonable to assume that there will be an appreciable reduction in Japanese requirements of fine wool.

For the time being the paramount influence in the wool textile trade is the sale of the raw material in London, where a good steady market is being experienced. The Australasian, South African and South American selling seasons are now in progress, and it seems that the buying power of the trade will be taxed to the utmost. The Continent of Europe, the most important outlet for merino wool prior to the Great War, is comparatively bare of stocks. In fact, there is practically a wool hunger, and Germany wants all the merinos that she can possibly finance, while French manufacturers are running night and day on the production of dress goods to meet a strong demand, both domestic and export.

OUTLOOK IS HOPEFUL

Balancing one consuming center against another, one is led to the conclusion that, provided there be no financial catastrophe arising out of the position of Germany or the devastation in Japan, such as would shake the trade of the world, there is likely to be a sufficient demand for fine wool in the primary markets during this and next month and also next year to absorb the limited supplies and keep values somewhere near the level which has prevailed throughout the year.

Particulars of the Australasian wool year which finished June 30 last are not yet to hand, but below is given the distribution of the Australian and New Zealand clips

(Continued on Page 4)

COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS IS PROPOSED BY POINCARE

French Premier Acts To Inaugurate Inquiry

PLAN UNCHANGED

Adheres To Demands For Limitation Of Scope

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Nov. 12.—M. Poincare has instructed M. Barthou, the Chairman of the Reparations Commission, to propose the appointment of a committee of experts to investigate Germany's resources. The plan outlined, however, indicates that M. Poincare adheres to the limitations to the enquiry which he has already announced. The committee would include the assistant delegates of the Powers represented on the Commission and an expert appointed by each country. It is suggested that the investigations will take two months.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Nov. 12.—It is announced that in order to demonstrate his desire to overcome all difficulties in the way of a solution of the reparations problem, M. Poincare is going to propose on his own responsibility the appointment of a committee of experts.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Nov. 12.—The Temps regrets that ex-President Wilson, who during the decisive phase of the war personified the admirable spirit of the American people, makes unjust accusations against France and Belgium on the subject of the Ruhr. Powerless to obtain at Washington the ratification of the Treaty of Versailles and the Guarantee Pact, Mr. Wilson is little qualified to interpret that treaty which is for France the basis of her policy and the only guarantee remaining to her, and for the strict execution of which she is striving.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 12.—Following a conference at Duesseldorf between representatives of the occupation authorities and the Franco-Belgian Regie on the one side and a representative of the German Ministry of Transport on the other side a document establishing a modus vivendi between the railways of unoccupied Germany and the railways of occupied Germany for the resumption of traffic was signed on November 11. Other technical questions will be discussed in the course of new conferences at Mayence between the German representative and the director of the Franco-Belgian Regie.

The number of requests for re-employment from railwaymen in the occupied territory since October 17 totals 124,000. Thirty-five thousand railwaymen have already resumed work.

The situation is calm in the occupied territory.

(Reuter's Service)

Coblence, Nov. 13.—Representatives of the dyeing industry have signed an agreement to resume regular reparation deliveries.

(Reuter's Service)

Munich, Nov. 13.—General von Ludendorff explains that the word of honor he gave on Friday does not mean that he will no longer take part in the "popular movement," to which he will still continue to devote himself. The parole, he says, only applied to his remaining in Munich and refraining from hostile activities pending examination.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Nov. 12.—Dr. von Kahr has ordered the dissolution of the Communist Party and has forbidden the Social Democrat newspapers to appear. The Reichswehr is thoroughly disbanding the Putsch organisation. Herr Hitler is now in a peasant's cottage at Rosenheim. He is not wounded.

General von Ludendorff has been allowed to choose his own residence, but is strictly watched

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U. S. GOLD FAILS TO GLITTER IN GERMAN CAPITAL

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Nov. 12.—Eleven penniless Americans, who came to Germany believing that they could live in luxury here on a few American dollars, are being sent home in steerage by the American Legation here.

They are only a small part of the many Americans who came to Germany following the war in the belief that great wealth could be amassed here on only a scant capital in gold. Each of the eleven told a story of converting his gold dollars into marks some time ago and then finding himself unable to live when the big crash in marks came.

BALDWIN WILL SEEK VERDICT OF ELECTORATE

Lloyd George And Asquith To Campaign Together In General Election

(REUTER)

London, Nov. 13—Mr. Stanley Baldwin today informed Mr. Ramsay McDonald that he would advise the King to dissolve Parliament.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 13.—A conference between Mr. Asquith, Sir John Simon, Mr. Lloyd George and Sir Alfred Mond today decided upon a joint election campaign.

SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS ALIEN LAND STATUTES

California And Washington Acts No Breach Of Treaty With Japan

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Nov. 12.—The Supreme Court has sustained the Alien Land Laws of California and Washington States, prohibiting aliens who are ineligible for American citizenship owning or leasing land. The Court held that it was clearly within the power of these States to prohibit such aliens from owning land and that such legislation was not opposed to the agreement between Japan and America. The minority judges held that the cases regarding the leasing of land to Japanese should have been dismissed on the ground that no justifiable question was presented.

French President Receives Captain Of Andre Lebon

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 12.—The commander of the liner Andre Lebon Captain Cousin, and the Messageries Maritimes agent, M. Fombertau, were received by the President today.

Strong Army Is Urged By Rivera

(Exclusive China Press)

Barcelona, Nov. 12.—At the dedicatory ceremonies of the Cartagena monument for Spanish soldiers killed in the Spanish American war, General Primo de Rivera, militarist leader of Spain, emphasised the necessity for the organisation of a strong Spanish army.

METROPOLITAN MUSEUM GIVEN RELICS OF TUT

(BY UNITED PRESS)

New York, Nov. 12.—The Countess Carnarvon today presented the Metropolitan Museum here with several ancient Egyptian relics taken from the tomb of Tut-Ankh-Amen by her late husband, the Earl of Carnarvon. Provision that these priceless antiques were to go to the Metropolitan Museum was made in the will of the late Earl,

BIG CUTS IN INCOME TAX PLANNED BY SECY. MELLON

U. S. Treasury Chief Urges Drastic Reductions

25 PERCENT OFF

$323,000,000 Decrease Is Now Possible, He Asserts

(Exclusive China Press)

Washington, Nov. 12.—Drastic revision downward of federal income taxes is provided for in the program which Secretary of the Treasury Andrew Mellon has approved for submission to Congress, it was announced at the Treasury Department today. It is estimated that the Treasury Department's proposals will reduce the total assessments for income taxes by $323,000,000.

The Treasury Department recommends a 25 percent reduction in taxes on earned income, a reduction in normal income taxes from four percent to three percent and eight percent to six percent, and the application of the surtax on amounts exceeding $16,000, instead of amounts exceeding $6,500, thence scaling progressively upward to 25 percent on incomes of $100,000.

The plan provides for cancellation of taxes on admissions to theaters, telegrams, telephone messages and leaded wires and limits the deduction of capital losses from income taxes.

Secretary Mellon's plan was transmitted in a letter to President Coolidge. It is based on an estimated annual surplus of $300,000,000 over budget estimates under the present taxation laws.

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Nov. 12.—In expectation of a Government surplus of over $300,000,000, Mr. Andrew Mellon, the Secretary of the Treasury, has written to President Coolidge suggesting sweeping cuts in income tax, totalling $323,000,000, including a 25 percent reduction in the earned income tax and abolition of what he terms miscellaneous nuisance taxes, like taxation on table silver, watches, etc. The foregoing is proposed as an alternative to granting the soldiers' bonus.

CONCERN OVER PROPOSAL FOR DUTY ON LACE

British Importer Appears In Inquiry By Board Of Trade Committee

(Reuter's Service)

London, November 12.—Giving evidence on behalf of retail distributors before the Board of Trade Committee which is enquiring into the Lace and Silk Industries, Mr. Thomas Yearsley, of Messrs. John Lewis and Company, who described his firm as the largest retail distributors in the country, expressed very grave concern with regard to the proposed import duty. He declared that three-quarters of the goods his firm sold could not be produced at home. His firm was a very large buyer of Japanese and Chinese silks for which there were no substitutes. Piece silk was the raw material of the making up trade in which very large numbers of people were employed. Enhanced prices would curtail sales and cause further unemployment. He expressed the opinion that a heavy tariff would lead to trusts because production of silk in England was limited to a few firms.

Britain's Trade Is Better In October

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 12.—A considerable improvement in British trade is shown in the Board of Trade returns for October. Exports total £71,323,000, an increase of £7,486,000 as compared with September, and imports £99,914,000 an increase of £16,649,000.

CAPTURE OF WAICHOW IS CLAIMED BY SUN YAT-SEN

Enemy Stronghold Is Taken By Ruse, He Reports

FOE IS TRAPPED

Quit City When Fake Retreat Is Staged

(The following message was received yesterday by The China Press from Eugene Chen, chief foreign secretary and chief of Dr. Sun Yat-sen, who is now at Canton).

BY EUGENE CHEN

Canton, Nov. 11, 6 p.m.—An airplane dispatch carrier has just arrived with an official report from Dr. Sun Yat-sen, who is at the front, announcing the capture of Waichow.

I am now at liberty to reveal the strategy which has led to this long delayed but memorable victory. Owing to the stalemate on the Waichow front, Dr. Sun Yat-sen decided to lure the enemy out off Waichow by ordering his center and left wing to retreat towards a point on the East River above Sheklung.

The enemy thereupon practically denuded Waichow of the powerful force defending the city, in order to pursue the retreating troops. Dr. Sun Yat-sen's right wing then swiftly marched against Waichow and captured the great stronghold yesterday afternoon.

The enemy is now being held at Lukian above Sheklung by the Cantonese General Hsu Chung-chi, while the enemy rear is being threatened by the Yunnanese General Yang Hsi-min, commanding the left wing. It is planned to hem in the enemy and destroy him as a fighting force.

Martial law in Canton has been cancelled.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, Nov. 13.—The steamer Kinshan today brought down from Canton 118 Chinese saloon passengers, mostly women of the official class, of whom General Yung's party comprised 18 and General Hu's 16 members. The expected exodus is increasing.

WOOD BLAMES POLITICS FOR MORO UPRISING

No Serious Measures To Be Taken Against Insurgents

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, Nov. 13.—Governor-General Wood returned today from Mindanao and has issued a statement that the Moro uprising is due principally to the statements of Mr. Quezon's political followers that the United States was preparing for withdrawal from the Philippines and that a Filipino Government would be established. The statement declares that Governor-General Wood will order no serious measures against the Moros until the end of the month, when he believes negotiations will be possible.

Labor Conference Opened At Paris

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 12.—The Minister of Labor, M. Peyronet, today presided at the opening sitting of the annual meeting of the Higher Labor Council, which will be devoted to the discussion of the problem of profit-sharing.

Ministry of Labor statistics show that the index figure for wholesale prices of 45 description of goods, on the basis of 100 for the price in 1910, was 486 at the end of October as compared with 489.7 at the end of September. The decrease comes from a group of foodstuffs, particularly sugars coffees and cocoas, but the decrease in the wholesale price has not yet had an effect on the retail price.

British Princess Becomes Bride Of Scottish Lord

Lord Carnegie and Princess Maud.

ENVOYS DEBATE DUTCH NOTE ON PRINCE'S FLIGHT

Ambassadors Exchange Views Regarding Reply From Hague

(Reuter's Service)

Brussels, Nov. 13.—According to various advices from Doorn, twelve passports authorising a journey to Berlin have been handed to the ex-Kaiser.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 13.—The ex-Crown Prince's return to Germany, coupled with the German Government's refusal to permit resumption of [illegible] military control, is solidifying anti-German feeling in France, Belgium and Italy. Paris newspapers demand imposition of further sanctions.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Nov. 13.—A semi-official statement contends that the Reich Government is bound to hand over the ex-Crown Prince under Article 226 of the Peace Treaty, and contains a strong hint that France is opposed to the Reich request that the Allies should not resume military control.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Nov. 12.—The Conference of Ambassadors at a meeting this afternoon took note of the information received from the Hague on the conditions in which the ex-Crown Prince left Holland and also of the communications from the Government indicating that they believed that they had neither in right nor in fact ground for forbidding a German subject, as was the Crown Prince, from entering Germany. The Conference are informing their Governments of the views exchanged on the subject.

Tariff Advisors Picked By Baldwin

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 12.—It is officially announced that Mr. Stanley Baldwin has appointed the following committee to advise the Government in connection with the preparation of the proposed duties on manufactured goods:

Viscount Milner (Chairman), Lord Kylsant, Sir Algernon Firth, Sir Peter Rylands, Sir William Ashley Professor A. S. Hewins and Mr. Arthur Pugh.

BUCHAREST FORT EXPLODES; MANY KILLED, INJURED

(Exclusive China Press)

Bucharest, Rumania, Nov. 12—Many persons were killed here today and scores wounded when Fort Domnesti, situated on the outskirts of the Rumanian capital, blew up. Bursting shells, with had been stored in the magazine at the fort, imperilled the city. The total death loss has not been ascertained as yet, but there have already been reports of more than 100 casualties. The cause of the explosion is unknown.

PRINCESS MAUD IS MARRIED TO LORD CARNEGIE

Royal Family Are Present At Ceremonies In London

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 12.—Princess Maud was married today to Lord Carnegie, the heir of the Earl of Southesk, at the Guards' Chapel in Wellington Barracks. Great crowds outside cheered the couple. Their Majesties, the Prince of Wales, Prince Henry, Prince George, Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles and the Duke and Duchess of York were present.

EARL RECOMMENDS PLAN FOR BASE AT SINGAPORE

Balfour Derides Suggestion Of Britain Taking Mean Advantage

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 12.—Speaking at a dinner given in honor of Mr. Massey, the Prime Minister of New Zealand, the Earl of Balfour described as grotesque the suggestion that we were taking a mean advantage of a technical point in the Washington Treaty in fortifying Singapore. He said that Singapore had been deliberately omitted from the Pacific arrangements in order that we might do what we liked with it. People who suggested that the omission was a mistake and that neither American nor Japanese sailors knew quite where the line of longitude passed which put Singapore outside instead of inside the Pacific, were really talking grotesque nonsense.

Stock Exchange At London Weak After Election Rumors

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 12.—The Stock Exchange is weak in consequence of rumours of the possibility of a general election on December 4.

Ask Garrison On Thursday Island

(Reuter's Service)

Hobart, Nov. 13.—The Returned Soldiers Congress has unanimously passed a resolution to the effect that, in view of the situation in Thursday Island with regard to Japanese, the Australian Government should be requested to take over the Island as Federal territory and maintain a garrison and a warship there.

Britain Will Pay In Liberty Bonds

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Nov. 13.—The British war-debt payment of $92,000,000 due on December 15 will be made in Liberty Bonds.

GENERAL HSU SUCCUMBS TO PISTOL SHOT OF ASSASSIN

Local Constabulary Chief Dies In Hospital

HAS COLLAPSE

Pneumonia Develops After Recovery Is In Sight

General Hsu Kuo-liang, Chief of the Shanghai Constabulary who was shot and mortally wounded on Saturday night by Li Dah-sun, passed away at the Shantung Road Hospital yesterday morning at 5:40 o'clock. A sudden collapse took place shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday morning when the temperature leaped up to 107 degrees and pneumonia had set in. Just previous to the relapse it was thought he had a good chance for recovery.

When the doctor in waiting realised that the end was nearing, Madame Hsu, wife of the Chief, who had arrived several hours before the crisis from Tientsin, was allowed to see her husband. Hsu was able to speak feebly a few words as to how his property should be disposed of. The end came without suffering, General Hsu making no complaints at all, and passing peacefully into unconsciousness.

At 6:40 a.m. the body was taken to the Hsu residence on the Nantao Bund by a Chinese Red Cross ambulance. As the vehicle entered the gate, the Chief's own band played the funeral march, while all officers of the constabulary stood at attention. The flag over the house was flying at half mast. All day yesterday, the body was lying in state and several hundred local officials and friends passed through the Chamber to pay their respects to the departed police chief.

SERVICES TODAY

General Hsu will wear the uniform of a full general when serirces are held his morning at 8 o'clock. Arrangement for the funeral are being made by Chief Inspector Hsien Chang and Police Magistrate Liu Chi-tseng. General Hsu's three sons are expected to arrive here tonight by the night express from Tientsin.

Mr. Lu Yung-chien, Chief of the fuenral are being made by the Constabulary, who took charge, upon the shooting of General Hsu, was officially appointed Acting Chief of the Woosung and Shanghai Constabulary yesterday by order of General Ho Feng-lin, the local Military Governor. Mr. Lu was favored as Hsu's successor at a meeting of the directors of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce at Shanghai held yesterday afternoon specially for the purpose of discussing the question of local peace in view of Hsu's sudden death.

COURT MARTIAL TODAY

Further examination of Li Dah-sun, the assassin, is expected to take place today. In view of his confession, it is possible that an early decision will be handed down by the court martial presided over by Col. Teng. However, a special inquiry may be conducted by a commission directly appointed by Peking in view of the political nature of the act, in which case the execution will be delayed. In the ordinary course of events, the sentence of death will probably be imposed by the court martial, which will be carried out upon the approval of the Peking Government.

Besides sending Mr. S. T. Wen, Commissioner of Foreign Affairs at Nanking, Tuchun Chi Shih-yuan has deputed his A. D. C., Kao Tsan-yuan, to come to Shanghai and investigate the case.

HAD FINE RECORD

General Hsu, who was 47 years old, was born in Tientsin. He studied at the Tientsin Military College, and later took the literary examinations, attaining the degree of Bachelor of Arts when not yet twenty. After serving in the army for some time he was appointed an Inspector of Police during the first year of the reign of Hsuan Tung. He held other positions subsequently and was named director of the Chapel Police Bureau by President Yuan Shih-k'ai. Yuan promoted him to be Chief of the Woosung and Shanghai Constabul-

ary, with the rank of Lieutenant-general, on August 8, 1914.

Under President Feng Kuo-chang, General Hsu was appointed High Assistant Official, retaining his post at the head of the constabulary, and he was made high adviser by General Yang Shen-teh, Tuchun of Chekiang, and General Li Shun, Tuchun of this province. Up to the time of his death he was high adviser to General Lu Yung-hsiang, Tupan of Chekiang, and to General Chi Hsieh-yuan, Tuchun of Kiangsu, as well as to the Civil Governors of these two provinces.

Recently he was promoted to a full generalship and made a member of the Court of Marshals.

General Hsu had been mentioned in an official communique for bravery, honesty, efficiency and industry and many decorations have been conferred upon him. He was awarded the fourth class order of the Chiaho—Excellent Crop—on May 26, 1915 and on August 8 of the same year, the fourth class order of the Wenfu—Literary Tiger. He also received the fifth class Order of Merit in 1915. During recent years he received the second class Wenfu, second class Chiaho, second class Tashou Chiaho with Sash, second class Paokuang Chiaho, with Brilliant Rays, fourth class Order of Merit, second class Tashou Paokuang Chiaho and other decorations.

ADMIRAL SAITO HAS RECEPTION THIS AFTERNOON

This afternoon between the hours of 2 and 5 a reception will be given by Vice-Admiral Saito, commander-in-chief of the visiting Japanese training squadron, to the leading Japanese residents of Shanghai.

The training squadron, which is on an extended cruise through the East, the South Seas and to Australia, consists of the coast defense cruisers Yagumo, Iwate and Asama.

Steam launches will be available at the Customs Jetty during the hours of the reception to convey guests to the Admiral's ship.

The training squadron is expected to sail for Mako, Formosa, tomorrow.

Peking Struggling Over Speakership

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 10.—Parliamentary proceedings continue to attack considerable attention by reason of the struggle which is in progress over the selection of the Speaker for the House of Representatives. Mr. Wu Ching-lien's supporters and a group of "Neutrals" are holding an informal meeting this afternoon when they will decide upon what action should be taken to combat the anti-Wu Ching-lien party.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 13.—Finding that efforts to bring about an understanding between Mr. Wu Ching-lien and his opponents have reached a deadlock, neutral Members of Parliament have appointed a committee to ascertain the points on which the rival factions base their contentions, intending subsequently to hold a conference and decide which party is in the right, after which the neutral members will throw their weight accordingly.

Rail Workers In France Ask Boost To Meet High Costs

(Exclusive China Press)

Paris, Nov. 12.—The French railroad unions have passed a resolution demanding an increase in the extra pay of workers to compensate them for the high cost of living. Strict observation of the eight-hour day will be demanded also.

Pact Is Spurned By French Miners

(Exclusive China Press)

Paris, Nov. 12.—The National Council of French Miners, contrary to all expectations, has declared that the agreement closed by its representatives with the mine owners is unsatisfactory to the council and will not be accepted.

Should no agreement be reached during the current week, a strike will be proclaimed next Monday.

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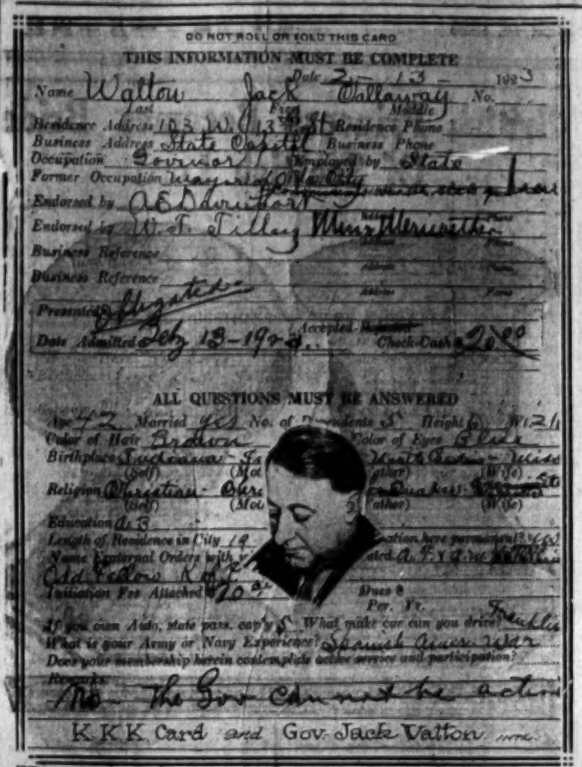
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K K K Card and Gov. Jack Walton

Governor J. C. ("Jack") Walton, of Oklahoma, is facing impeachment at the hands of the State Legislature for his use of troops in quelling the Ku Klux Klan. Above is shown a photographic reproduction of both sides of a membership card in the Ku Klux Klan, alleged by the Klansmen to be a record of the membership of Governor Walton. While the card is made out in the Governor's name and bears correct details, he charges it was made out to embarrass him and that he never asked for membership and never accepted it.

'Thousand Character' Course Of Study Is Started At Y.M.C.A.

A class to teach Chinese boys and men to master the reading and writing of 1,000 characters was started at the Chinese Y. M. C. A., 120 Szechuen Road, last night.

The course of study inaugurated employs a sterioptican to throw the lessons upon a screen, and a general recitation follows each character. On the opening of the class there were 120 in attendance.

Those in charge announce that there is room for many more students and any firm employing boys or men who cannot read or write Chinese is invited to direct these employes to the Y. M. C. A. for enrollment any evening this week.

It is maintained by the teachers that this method of mass work holds the interest of every student for the entire class period. Ten new characters are assigned for learning every evening and the class will meet five nights each weed—Sunday and Wednesday evenings being those on which classes are not held. The class hour is from 7 to 8:15 p.m. and all Chinese boys and men who wish to take advantage of the lessons are rinvited to attend.

SOCIALISTS QUIT

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Nov. 13.—Organised Labor's daily newspaper, the New York Leader, has ceased publication 40 days after succeeding the Socialist "New York Call."

Admiral Line Fraud Has Echo In Court As Order Is Made

In connection with the case in which a youthful Chinese ex-employe of the Admiral Oriental Line is alleged to have forged checks aggregating Tls. 10,902 an application was made in the Mixed Court yesterday for the sale of a motor car and other property left by the youth when he disappeared from Shanghai.

A warrant is out for the young man and his father has been charged in the Mixed Court as being implicated in the fraud, the case being adjourned sine die pending the arrest of the alleged chief offender.

Assessor Jacobs and Magistrate Kuan yesterday granted the application, ordering that the motor car and sundry furniture, etc., seized be sold at auction, the money obtained from the sale to be deposited with the Court pending the settlement of the action. The application was made by Mr. Schulayer, representing the International Banking Corporation, through which bank the checks were cashed.

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House Coal No. 2 (Screened)	$18.00 per ton
Kitchen Coal No. 1 (Screened)	$18.00 per ton
Kitchen Coal No. 2 (Screened)	$17.00 per ton
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MR. KEYTE TALKS ON "THE MAN WHO WAS AFRAID"

Speaks This Evening On "The Man Who Remembered"

Continuing his addresses on "The Message of the Cross," the Rev J. C. Keyte, of Peking last night at Union Church, speaking on the subject "The Man Who was Afraid," took as his text the story of Felix, the man who failed in the quest of life.

The speaker treated his failure in four aspects—tragedy, reason, avoidance and retrieval. He said that Felix was a typical example of the man who wishes to make the best of both worlds and that in this respect he differed from the Rich Fool whose whole concern was to have a good time in this one. Felix was one who was prepared to barter honor and decency for gold but yet had a sense of higher things. He was in many respects a most excellent governor. He had two well developed faculties: he could rule and he could think. He did not regard Paul's arguments as so much moonshine but he could not consent to let his better judgment control his destinies. He wanted the best of both worlds and, as it were, sat on the fence that separated right and wrong. He was a man of great imagination and he trembled when he viewed himself and his certain destiny. He had deep insight and true knowledge but he lacked the courage to reveal the contrite heart. He nearly succeeded in his quest for the gateway of life and so his failure was all the more tragic.

Then Mr. Keyte spoke of the reason why Felix failed. He analysed the man and found in him a complex man, the man seen and known and the man whose inner self while it was not revealed was his bigger and worse self. Felix trembled for his soul's future but he could not suffer to forego the profit, pleasure and power which his office assured him and which he knew he would have to give up if he permitted the conscious to obtain the mastery over the sub-conscious.

He was one of that class which for one thing cannot resist the domination of a beautiful, vicious woman—his unlawful consort Drusilla. He feared for his position for had he succumbed to the persuasion of Paul he would have roused the enmity of the Jews, who would have rendered his governorship untenable. The hidden part of Felix decided for the baser things and that was the reason for his failure. The avoidance of failure next received treatment. Mr. Keyte contrasted Felix and Christ. Christ from his earliest days was always intent on "His Father's business." Christ put first things first whereas with Felix it was never the best that came first. But nevertheless he had ever before him the vision of high conviction. Mr. Keyte declared that doing the duty to hand built up character and the practice of love and sympathy developed the beauty of holiness. Work well done is always fruitful, he declared. Things apparently of little account leave their impress and persistence in practising the good overcomes the base. He said we all need to be drenched with the Spirit of God.

Under the last subdivision retrieval of failure he treated the sub-conscious self and showed how it plays a greater part than the conscious. He instanced the case of the father of the epileptic and said it was his sub-conscious scepticism that stood in the way of a cure being effected. The only hope for such a man was for the smaller part of him to get ahead of the bigger part and cry out Lord! Help me! Help me! From the Cross of Christ there comes the message that He is still able to range Himself alongside us and give us life with power to overcome, he said. Felix had heard of righteousness, temperance and judgment to come but he had not learned about the Grace of God. There is only one thing in life which is more fundamental than our character, and that is the character of God whose name is Love. In closing he bade his audience remember that Christ is our Advocate with God and urged all who repent to repent with Godly sorrow.

Mr. H. E. Muriel sang magnificently and with great acceptance "Who shall abide the day of His coming."

Tonight at 5:30 Mr. Keyte will speak on "The Man Who Remembered" and the soloist for the evening will be Mrs. Kerr.

At the Literary and Social guild at 9 p.m. Mr. Keyte will give an illustrated Lecture on "Things Seen In Egypt."

6 Other Countries Fill Immigration Quotas To U.S.

The immigration quotas of six other countries in addition to the nine countries and districts given in yesterday's The China Press, according to an official message received by United States Consul-General Edwin S. Cunningham.

No more immigrants will be allowed to enter the United States from Palestine, Portugal, Syria, Albania, Africa and Egypt, according to the message until after June 30, 1924, as immigrants from those countries have already filled the quotas.

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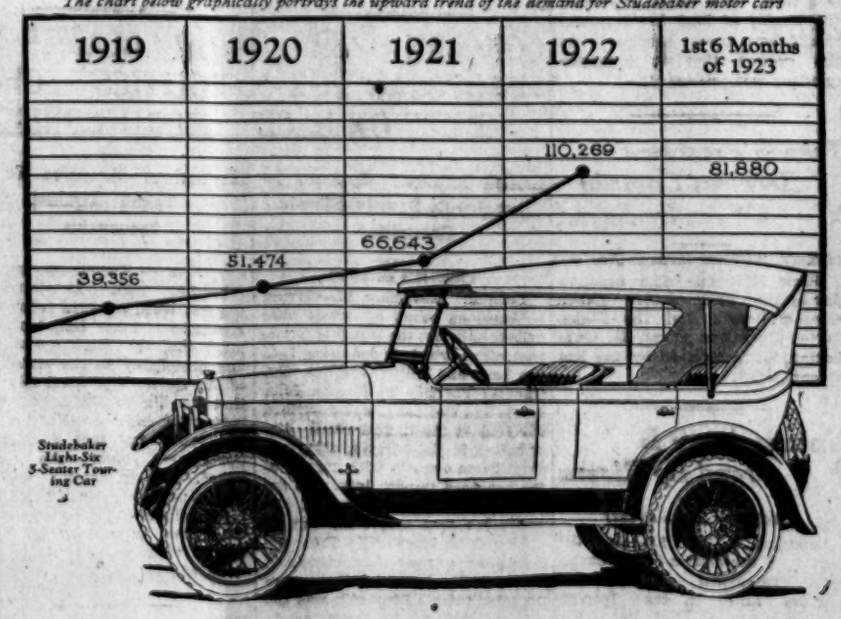

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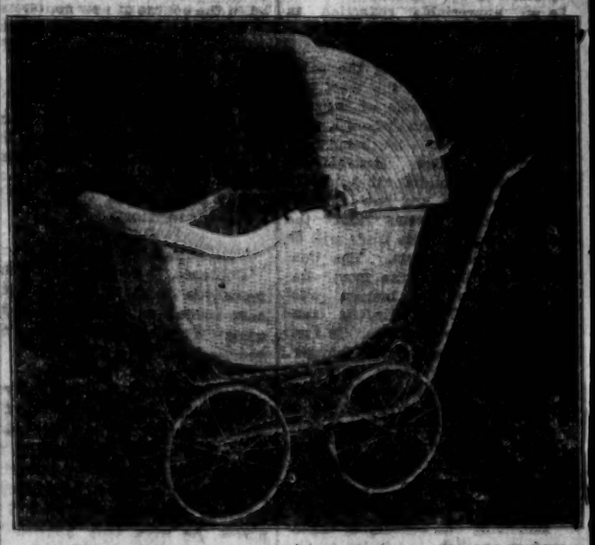
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BIG INCREASES ARE SHOWN BY SWEDISH TRADE

Commerce With France For Current Year Far Ahead Of Last

(Reuter's Service)

Stockholm, Sept. 22.—The following interesting figures in regard to trade between France and Sweden are taken from a report of the Swedish Chamber of Commerce in Paris:

The total value of goods exchanged from January I to July 1, 1923, as compared with the corresponding period in 1922.

	1922 Frs.
Imports from Sweden	129,955,000
Exports to Sweden	21,788,000
	1923 Frs.
Imports from Sweden	155,716,000
Exports to Sweden	50,071,000

(These figures refer to French F.O.B. prices for exports and French C.I.F. prices for imports).

The balance is little altered from the previous year, but the increased figures are a good indication of the high pressure in France at present. Indeed, it may be said that the figures have altered somewhat in France's favor as the imports from Sweden are subject to the depreciation in the franc rate, the quantity figures not being appreciably greater.

(Reuter's Service)

Stockholm, Sept. 22.—Swedish imports during August amounted to 719,000 tons, 72,000 tons of "consumption goods" and 647,000 tons of "production goods." Of the latter item 561,000 tons consited of raw-materials and 85,000 tons of production tools.

Exports totalled 1,297,000 tons Exports of food-stuffs decreased during the month. Exports of textiles has increased steadily since May and was 480 tons in August. There was also an increase in wood-pulp, paper and board's.

Imports were 131 percent and expotis 83 percent of the normal.

Coolies In Court For Assault On Foreign Couple

Charged with assaulting two foreigners Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Sadkowsky of Kungping Road, five coolies were brought into the Mixed Court yesterday.

Complainants testified that Mrs. Sadkowsky had engaged the coolies to move some furniture for a short distance and that they created a disturbance over the amount paid them, finally entering the house and attacking her. One of the men struck her with his bamboo carrying pole. Mr. Sadkowsky, who was ill and in bed at the time, came to her assistance and eventually got the coolies out of the house.

The principal accused was sentenced to two weeks' imprison ment and the others were fined $3 each, with the alternative of three days in jail.

Sikh Watchman Is Fined $10 For Assault

An unemployed Sikh watchman named Amar Singh was fined $10 in the British Police Court before Magistrate G. W. King yesterday when he was found guilty of having assaulted three other Sikhs while drunk. Amar Singh was charged with having tried to force his way into 25 Miller Road and to have pulled out a knife and tried to stab the other three when he was thrown out. He denied the charge and said he had been invited to have tea there. When he refused on the ground that he was too drunk, he said, the other three attacked him.

Honor Memory Of Legion Commander

(Exclusive China Press)

Cincinnati, Nov. 12.—Eight governments today paid tribute to the memory of Col. Frederick W. Galbraith, Jr., former commander of the American Legion, at the unveiling and dedication of a memorial to him here. Galbraith, who had had an enviable service record in France, was killed two years ago in an automobile accident at Indianapolis.

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Poincare Proposes Experts' Committee

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Later.—Herr Hitler was arrested in South Bavaria today without resistance.

(Reuter's Service)

Brussels, Nov. 12.—Owing to not having received satisfaction from Germany in respect of the murder of the Belgian Lieutenant Graff in March, 1922, the Belgian Government has warned Germany that, failing prompt compensation, sanctions will be carried out in occupied German territory.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Nov. 12.—The Temps, commenting on Dr. Stresemann's speech, points out the contradiction in his foreign policy. Having recognised the stupidity of the so-called passive resistance, he asserts in his speech of yesterday that the occupying Powers are responsible for the unemployment in the Ruhr whilst it is the industrialists who by delaying to sign an agreement with the inter-Allied Commission are preventing the resumption of work. The Temps points out the same contradiction in his internal policy, Dr. Stresemann having begun his government with the Socialists and joining with Dr. von Kahr in his invective against the doctrines of that party.

Swiss Protest On Frontier Changes

(Exclusive China Press)

Geneva, Nov. 12.—At a public massmeeting here tonight resolutions were adopted protesting against the new frontier in Hautes savoie which is being enforced by France.

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ARNOLD TELLS OF JAPAN AFTER THE EARTHQUAKE

U. S. Commercial Attache Speaker At Chamber Tiffin

The Japanese people are deeply touched by the splendid manner in which Americans came to their assistance financially at the time of the earthquake and are expressing their gratitude on every hand, according to Mr. Julean Arnold, American Commercial attache, at Peking, who was the speaker at a tiffin given by the American Chamber of Commerce yesterday.

Mr. Arnold has just returned from Japan, where he went at the time of the catastrophe, and gave a very interesting and illuminating talk on present conditions in the earthquake area and in Japan in general. America's contributions to the relief work according to Mr. Arnold, totalled $20,000,000 gold.

The Commercial Attache also took occasion to give an outline of the work done by the Shanghai official of the Commercial Attache pointing out the various ways in which it endeavors to assist American business houses in China, and introduced Trade Commissioners Howard, Watson and Nelson.

Copies of a report outlining the Japan situation, which the office of the Commercial Attache in Tokio prepared for the American Merchants Association, Tokio, were given to those attending the luncheon and additional copies of this report may be had upon application to the office of the American Commercial Attache, 3 Canton Road.

Billy Bellew To Put On Boxing Show

Billy Bellew, the demon promoter, has made arrangements for a boxing show at the Shanghai Athletic association's gymnasium (rear of Shepherd's) for Friday night. Billy has already arranged for a number of good bouts and is trying to sign De Dios and Tigora for the main event, although these negotiations have not yet been completed.

Other items on the card include bouts between Joe Ching and Benny Hertzberg; Jim Mark and Young Hertzberg; Kid Fernandez and Kid Willie, and Wolgast and Bernard. Billy says he has been working with Wolgast for the past week or ten days, and that he has achieved a wonderful improvement.

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Credit Scheme Is Outlined In Paris

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 12.—The scheme for the Budget for recoverable expenditure for 1924, which has been distributed to the Parliament proposes the fixing of the National credit issue at 5,000,000,000 francs, payments in National Defence Bonds at 2,000,000,000 francs, and the capital total of the inhabitants of the devastated districts to borrow on State guarantees at 1,000,000,000 francs. With interest and various credits the total indemnities advanced by France for the reconstruction of the devastated districts by the Germans will total 9,000,000,000 francs in 1924, a lower figure than those provided for 1923. On these bases the program for the restoration of the liberated districts will be spread over a period of three years and at the end of 1926 the invaded departments agreements and annuities allowing will be entirely restored.

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German-American Shipping Combine Denied By Farley

(BY UNITED PRESS)

London, Nov. 12.—Chairman Farley of the United States Shipping Board today denied reports that negotiations are under way looking toward the formation of a German-American shipping combine. The rumor arose here following the simultaneous arrival of Mr. Farley and Former Chancellor Wilhelm Cuno of Germany, who is known to be actively interested in Germany's Atlantic shipping.

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PRES. McKINLEY BRINGING BIG MAIL TOMORROW

Mail For America Goes On Empress On Monday

Bringing a heavy mail from the United States, the President McKinley is due in Shanghai from Seattle tomorrow afternoon, and docking at the China Merchants Central Wharf around 6 o'clock. The liner has on board 1,858 bags of mail as well as passengers and freight for this port, and will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

The Empress of Russia, which was due here from Vancouver next Friday, has been delayed on account of bad weather. The vessel is now due at Yokohama today, and is expected at Woosung on Sunday, and sailing for Hongkong the following day.

The next mail for America will be sent on the Empress of Canada next Monday, and mail for Europe via the Suez is to go on the Kamo Maru, Sunday. The P. and O. liner Malwa, taking 100 passengers and mail from this port, sailed for London via ports yesterday afternoon.

Mail from Europe will arrive on the Kaiser-I-Hind next Monday. The steamer, which comes from London, is expected to leave Hongkong at 10 o'clock Friday morning, and it is the first trip that the Kaiser calls in Shanghai.

Christians Here Send Relief To Japanese

During the past months contributions have been coming from all parts of China in larger and smaller amounts for helping the sufferers through the Japan earthquake. Those from the churches in China have largely come to the National Christian Council although in at least three cases considerable amounts have gone through other channels from Chinese Christian communities.

On Saturday Prof. T. C. Chao of Soochow University and Mr. S. P. Chuan of the National Christian Council left Shanghai for Kobe in order to attend the first meeting of the National Christian Council of Japan. They carry with them a large part of the contributions received amounting by this time to nearly $4,000 and are to discuss with the Japan Council the best way in which this sum can be applied.

While the total amount seems little compared to the great need and large gifts from public bodies and wealthy persons, it means a great deal both as representing the self denial of many who have very little margin from which to give, and also as an expression of the spirit of Christian goodwill which can overcome the national barriers in view of this terrible disaster. The sending of this deputation is a further expression of the part of the Christian forces in China of their great desire that out of this evil there may be born a new spirit in the relations between the two countries.

Australian Wool

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	1913-14 Bales.	1921-22 Bales
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France		466,250
Belgium and Holland		154,324
Germany	1,257,155	135,376
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Russia, Norway, Sweden, and Spain		407
United States and Canada.	115,196	218,585
Japan, China, and India.	20,500	207,783
Australasian manufacturers.	111,817	169,565
	1,968,578	2,694,139

LECTURE TONIGHT

The Rev. J. C. Keyte will speak on "Things Seen In Egypt" at the meeting of the Union Church Literary and Social Guild at 8:45 o'clock this evening. The lecture will be illustrated with lantern scenes of the country. Admission to non-members will be $1 and tickets may be secured from Mr. A. Youngson, Messrs. Brunner, Mond & Company, or Miss Fitch, 20 Museum Road.

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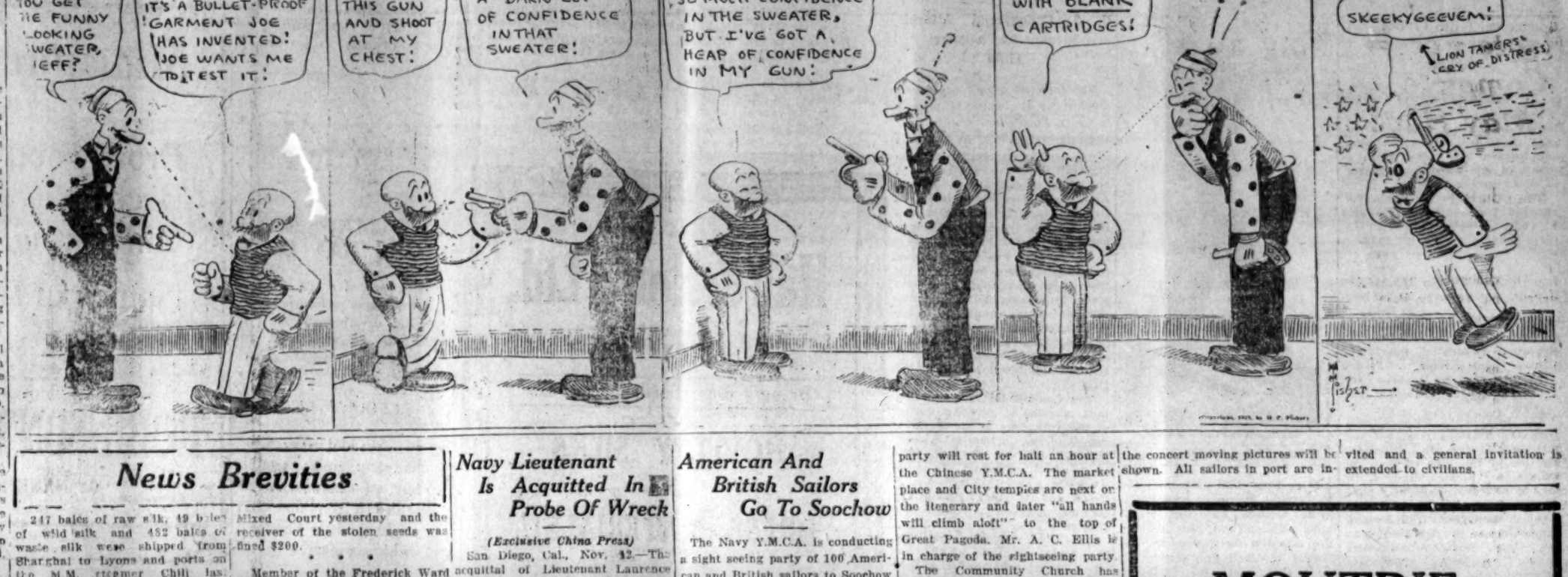
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News Brevities

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Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Mann returned to Hankow on the s.s. Kungwo yesterday.

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Mr. Stuart K. Lupton, American Consul at Chefoo, who has been in the United States on leave, returned to his post on the s.s. Shuntien yesterday. While in Shanghai he was the guest of Consul-General Edwin S. Cunningham.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Gilbert were passengers on the s.s. Shuntien yesterday for Chefoo, en route back to Peking.

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The first practice reel for the Caledonian Ball will be held in the Town Hall this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock. Subscribers are requested to invite their guests so that sets can be made up.

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One of two men convicted of running an opium den at 1248 Nanzing Road was sentenced to a month's imprisonment by the Mixed Court yesterday and the other was ordered to pay a fine of $30. Six smokers paid fines of $3 each. In another opium den case the woman operator of an establishment at 1575 Bar. Seward Road failed to appear in court and forfeited $50 bail. Five smokers were fined $3 in this case and five forfeited $5 bail each.

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Dr. W. W. Peter, who accompanied the American Red Cross Relief mission to Japan at the time of the earthquake, will be the speaker at the regular weekly tiffin of the Rotary Club at the Astor House tomorrow. Dr. Peter will speak on "Medical Relief Work In Japan." His talk will be fully illustrated with lantern slides.

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Assistant Commissioner of Police W. Beatty, in charge of the police reserves, who is going to England on leave, sailed on the s.s. Malwa for London yesterday.

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Sir James Jameison, British Consul-General at Canton, who was knighted during his visit to Shanghai by Sir Ronald Macleay, the British Minister, returned to Canton on the s.s. Malwa sailing yesterday.

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Major General Sir John Fowler and Lady Fowler, who have been visiting in Shanghai and Hankow, returned to Hongkong on the s.s. Malwa yesterday.

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A godownkeeper convicted of stealing 50 bags of cabbage seeds, valued at $450, from a godown in North Soochow Road was sentenced to a year in prison by the Mixed Court yesterday and the receiver of the stolen seeds was fined $200.

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Member of the Frederick Ward Post of the American Legion will hold a smoker and entertainment at the American Club tomorrow night beginning at 8 o'clock, when dinner will be served. After dinner four good entertainment acts will be on the program.

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The six prizes to be given to the wearers of the most original and novel costumes at the masquerade ball to be given at the Hotel Parisien on Saturday night are now on display in the lobby of the hotel.

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Beginning tonight the Del Monte will produce an Old Dutch comic ballet with the usual leading dancers and twelve ballet girls in novel costumes.

Taxes In Sweden Show Big Decrease

(Reuter's Service)

Stockholm, Sept. 22.—The present year's taxation figures show a decrease of 15 percent as compared with last year's. The reduction, however, is less than between the 1922 taxable income and 1921, which was 22 percent.

In spite of the continued shrinkage of the income liable to taxation, it is worth noting that it is still considerably higher than for 1913, the last "normal" year. Thus the taxable income in Swedish cities and towns is on an average 105.3 percent higher than for 1914.

RESIGNS FROM BENCH

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Navy Lieutenant Is Acquitted In Probe Of Wreck

(Exclusive China Press)

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 12.—The acquittal of Lieutenant Laurence F. Blodgett, U.S.S., on charges of inefficency in performance of duty, was announced here today by the general court martial which had tried him and two other navy officers as a result of the wreck of seven American destroyers at Point Honda, California, on September 8.

The specific charges against Blodgett were based on the allegation that he was navigator of the U.S.S. Delphy, which led the destroyer squadron onto the rocks. Lieutenant-Commander Donald T. Hunter, commanding officer of the Delphy, testified at the court martial that Lieutenant Blodgett was not navigator of the ship at the time.

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American And British Sailors Go To Soochow

The Navy Y.M.C.A. is conducting a sight seeing party of 100 American and British sailors to Soochow today. In Soochow they will visit the "Mandarin Gardens" Temple of 500 Gods, through the mulberry groves to Tiger Hill and have luncheon on the great flat rock called "Dead Man's Rock." Then at the base of the old leaning pagoda on Tiger Hill movie operators and photographers will take group pictures of the sailors. After an hour's ride on donkey back through the narrow, crowded streets of shops and over a score of high arched bridges that span the canals the party will rest for half an hour at the Chinese Y.M.C.A. The market place and City temples are next on the itenerary and later "all hands will climb aloft" to the top of Great Pagoda. Mr. A. C. Ellis is in charge of the sightseeing party.

The Community Church has arranged a good concert for sailors at the Navy "Y" for tonight. There is an excellant program. Following the concert moving pictures will be shown. All sailors in port are invited and a general invitation is extended to civilians.

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Route For Walking Race Complete; American Co. May Have Team In Event

S. V. C. Men Urged To Begin Training Immediately; Rules Governing Contest To Be Same As In 1909 Competition

By Westa

The committee appointed at Monday's meeting of the International Walking Race to lay out the course finished that task yesterday, so that the complete route can now be announced. It is as follows:

Start at Carter and Bubbling Well Roads; proceed to the Rubicon Road via Jessfield Road; then around the Rubicon Road to Nanyang College bridge. From the bridge the walkers will turn right on Avenue Haig about 150 yards to a small, little used dirt road about 300 feet long, which connects Avenue Haig with Route Prosper Paris. Turn right to Avenue Petain; thence to Route Francis Garnier; turn into Route Ghisi, and from that into Rue Lafayette; follow Rue Lafayette to Route Pere Albert, then straight to Weihaiwei Road, thence to Mohawk Road and into the Race Club grounds. Finish on the grass course about 200 yards from the place of entry into the Race Club.

In a few days a map of this route will be prepared and published in the newspapers; also on the entry forms, so that all competitors may become familiar with the course to be taken.

The following notice appears in the current number of "The Minute Man," the official journal of the American Co., S.V.C.:

INTERNATIONAL WALKING MATCH

Training is now under way for this match, and it is proposed that we have an American Team from the American Company to compete. Intending contestants should notify Lieut. Baldwin at once.

That ought to bring out some candidates; but if any candidates are coming out they should notice the last two words—"at once." The big race is but little more than a month away, and unless training starts at once the American team can hardly hope to finish, let alone win the contest. The French team began training yesterday and the other have been at it three or four days.

One of the old timers who attended the Monday meeting brought along one of the 1904 booklets, describing the first walking race held here. This booklet contained a set of rules covering the competition, and as these rules are to apply in the present competition they are subjoined, as follows:

These Competitions were instituted at Shanghai in the year 1904, for the purpose of providing a form of athletic exercise in which members of all nationalities could meet on equal ground.

The 1923 Competition is open to teams of four men each from any nationality wishing to compete. To prevent subsequent question, each team entry shall be signed by some responsible official, who shall certify that each of the entrants is a bona fide citizen or subject of the nationality named.

Each team may appoint four reserves to be used as substitutes if necessary. Entrance fee, per team, $8.

Individual Competitors, Entrance fee, $2 each.

Individual entries will be received from any number of entrants.

No post entries will be received except from such as may be

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ENGINEERS VOTE TO DROP OUT OF SOCCER LEAGUE

Lack Of Interest Given As Reason By Club Chairman

At an extraordinary general meeting of the Marine Engineers Football club last evening it was voted to withdraw from the league. This action was taken because of the difficulty the club had encountered in getting a team together—situation for which there seemed to be no relief in sight.

The President of the club, Mr. W. T. Bissett, who chairman of the meeting, said it was regrettable that this meeting had to be called. The Marine Engineers' Football team was one of the oldest in Shanghai but they were finding it exceedingly difficult to get together a playing team. He did not want to blame the Recreation Club or the Shanghai Football Club, but in the days when he (the Chairman) was a player the idea was to form a League and encourage other clubs to come in thereby increasing the popularity of football in Shanghai. This had not been done owing to the big clubs claiming the best players. It was time the Shanghai Football Association took the matter in hand and saw that the clubs had a limited number of players and no more. That was the idea when he joined but it had not been carried out. He had heard remarks passed that the Association was prepared to do so now but he was afraid it was too late. He asked for the opinion of the players for he quite understood how hard

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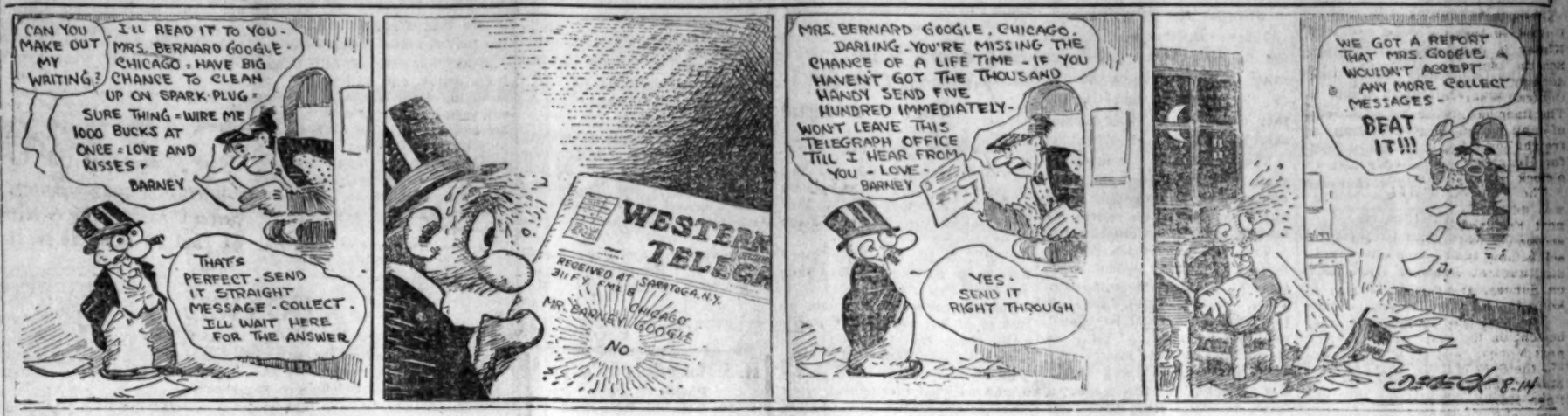
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Chinese Soccer Players Who Toured Australia Allege Unfair Treatment

Note—We publish the subjoined letter (and another one tomorrow) from Messrs. Wang and Shen, members of the Chinese Soccer team that toured Australia, with full reservation as to Mr. H. A. Millard. Mr. Millard spent several months in China studying the Soccer situation with a view to taking a Chinese team to Australia, afterwards organising a team for the tour. Mr. Wang and Mr. Shen, who have returned to China ahead of the rest of the team, stress the charge that all the players were asked to sign a new agreement after the tour was under way which differed from the original agreement in that it authorised certain individuals to capitalise the Chinese team for purposes of private profit. Whether any irregularity was involved in this we cannot say, and of course we would not attempt to draw conclusions without first hearing from Mr. Millard, who, we are glad to say, left behind him as far as this office is concerned only the finest memories as to character and sportsmanship. The letter follows.

Sports Editor: The public will remember that a Chinese Football Team, composing seventeen players specially selected, sailed for Australia in July last, upon the invitation of Mr. H. A. Millard, representing the Commonwealth Soccer Association of Australia. This invitation, the public will also recall, was extended to and accepted by the National Contest Committee for China of the Far Eastern Athletic Association. The undersigned made the tour at the request of the said National Contest Committee and also signed an agreement with Mr. H. A. Millard to that effect.

Two weeks after the team landed in Australia we were surprised to see a new agreement offered to the Team to be signed. The nature of the new agreement was entirely different from the first one which we signed. The new agreement provided that the team was to play under the direction of a company, called the Australian Tours Limited, formed for the purpose of profit to private individuals. Moreover neither the National Contest Committee for China nor the Commonwealth Soccer Association of Australia, the original parties, had anything to do with the new agreement.

Furthermore, Mr. J. Mcdougall, one of the representatives of the Commonwealth Soccer Association told one of the undersigned in a "strictly confidential talk" that Mr. Millard, the organizer, was to get 10 percent of the profits. On hearing this, the undersigned wrote the Commonwealth Soccer Association, asking how the profits resulting from the tour of the Team would be disposed of. The Association refused to give us any written answer, saying we had no right to ask about the profits. However, Mr. S. Storey, the Secretary of the Commonwealth Soccer Association, had verbally assured us that 70 percent of the profit would go to the individuals forming the Company and 30 percent to the Association.

The undersigned took out a copy of the registration of the said Company from the Registrar's Office and found out that the capital of the Company was £1500 (approximately $15,000) and that there were seven subscribers whose names and occupations were as follows:

1. William Lincoln, Gas Fitter.
2. Arthur Morgan, Business Manager.
3. Sydney Storey, Draftsman.
4. Stephen H. Stack, Accountant.
5. Frank West, Customs Clerk.
6. C. P. Dixon, Shipping Manager.
7. W. S. Allerdice, Clerk.

Notwithstanding these plain facts, Mr. Millard, the Organiser, Mr. Mok, the Manager, and Mr. Stack, the official representative of the Commonwealth Soccer Association, all pointed out that the first agreement was a provisionary one prepared by a layman; whereas the new agreement was a legal one correctly prepared by a lawyer. They further insisted that there was no difference in essence between the two agreements.

However, the undersigned saw the vital difference between them and refused to sign the new agreement on the ground that we were not willing to depart from the terms of the first agreement and play for the Company. At that time the rest of the Team had already signed the new agreement, upon the advice of Mr. Mok Hing, the Manager of the Team. Mr. Mok, it must be understood, is the President of the South China Athletic Association which supplied the majority of players in the team.

Then the case was communicated to the Chinese Consul-General at Melbourne, who called a meeting at his Office, at which

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entered as reserves. Entries will close at 5 p.m. December 10.

Each competitor will wear a number both on breast and back. These numbers will be provided by the Committee. Each team competitor shall, in addition to his number, wear such national badge of his own providing as his Captain may direct. Pacemakers will be provided with a circlet in blue, to be worn round the right arm.

PACEMAKERS, etc.

Pacemakers shall be permitted to join their respective competitors at Brennan Road, leaving them at the corner of Chungking and Weihaiwei Roads. They may act in relays if they wish.

A pacemaker shall, if called on to do so, make way for an overtaking competitor, but one competitor overtaking another shall pass him on either side without requiring him to make way.

Except for the purpose of handing refreshment, no pacemaker or other person shall touch a competitor while walking, and any competitor so touched, i.e. for the purpose of assistance in any form, shall ipso facto be disqualified.

Each competitor is only allowed one pacemaker at a time.. Pacemakers only allowed on foot and/or bicycle.

The walking shall be that known as "fair heel and toe walking," of which the following may be taken as a sufficiently good definition for all practical purposes:—"That is fair heel and toe walking in which the advanced heel always reaches the ground before any other portion of the foot."

Any competitor offending against this rule shall be warned by a referee, who shall order him to turn round once for each of the first two offences. On a third offence the competitor shall be disqualified.

JUDGES AND REFEREES

Judges shall be stationed at the finishing post. They shall cause to be noted down the time of the various competitors as they come in, and their decision shall be final.

The individual competition shall be decided by the time taken by each individual who fairly completes his course, the first in to be the winner.

The team competition shall be decided as follows:—The position of each team competitor (first, second, third, etc.) in the competition shall be noted, and that team whose total in places thus made is least, shall be declared the winning team. For example, if the team X come in 1st, 7th, 10th and 21st, their total would be 39. The Y team coming in 6th, 8th, 12th and 14th, would thus be beaten by one point.

Competitors entered for the individual contest only shall not be included in the score for the team prizes.

In case of a dead heat between any two individuals of the team competition or between any two teams on points, that team shall be the winner which has done the course in the best average time per man. Should the average time happen to be the same then that team shall win which was first in complete.

The course has to be completed within a certain time; the limit will be made known at the start.

Engineers Vote To Drop Out Of Soccer League

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it was for six or eight good men to turn out every Saturday and not get a satisfactory game but they could not see their way to get any more players.

Mr. T. W. R. Wilson said they were worse off this year than they had ever been.

The Chairman said it would go back to what it was in the old days—two clubs, the Iocs, and the Shanghai Football Club.

Mr. A. Clarke said as a player it was no good turning out every Saturday and finding there was not a full team. The Chairman then proposed that owing to adverse circumstances and the want of players that the Marine Engineers' Football Club very much regretted to withdraw from the League. Mr. Colin Campbell seconded.

Before putting the resolution the Chairman said he hoped that if the Association took a stand and supported them that their best players would come back to the team.

The resolution on being put to the meeting was carried.

The Chairman said he would like to thank the players that had regularly turned out for what they had done for the Club.

Those present were:

Messrs. W. T. Bissett, (President in the Chair), W. S. Campbell (Vice-President), H. M. Catley (Hon. Secretary and Treasurer), Colin Campbell, M. D. Marshall, B. Anderton, P. B. Critchley, T. W. R. Wilson (Captain), C. T. Crawford (Vice-Captain), S. Howard, A. Clarke, J. Falconer, L. Smith, J. M. Bruce, H. Shaw.

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For raising a rumpus when he was denied admission to the Astor House Hotel an unemployed Sikh watchman named Ashar Singh was fined $5 when he appeared before Magistrate G. W. King in the British Police Court yesterday.

Ashar was charged with having been drunk and attempting to enter the Astor House by the back entrance in order to collect money he had loaned to a Chinese employed there. When the No. 1 watchman, Tomar Singh refused to let him enter, he is alleged to have hit Tomar on the head. Another Sikh was called and he was thrown out.

In the afternoon of the same day Ashar is said to have returned to the scene and again tried to get in. When he was again kept out he is said to have pulled a knife and threatened to stab the watchmen, after which he was arrested.

The Sikh denied that he was drunk or that he assaulted the Sikh, Tomar. They refused to let him enter the hotel on peaceful business, he said, because Tomar had also loaned money to the Chinese and didn't want him to collect before he got his money. Mixed Court showing he had taken back. He produced papers from the action against the Chinese.

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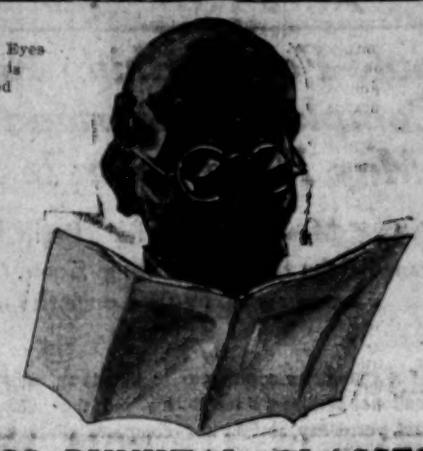

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Mr. Mok Hing, the Manager of the Team, Mr. S. H. Stack, the representative of the Commonwealth Soccer Association, Mr. H. A. Millard, the Organiser of the Team, and the undersigned were present. As a final result of the meeting, the undersigned did not further accompany the Team and came back first through the arrangements of the Chinese Consul-General. The rest of the Team continued the tour and played for the Company. This case will now be laid before the National Contest Committee for China for the final settlement with the Commonwealth Soccer Association of Australia. We regret that we were not in a position to stop the whole team from its further tour.

To give you a rough idea of the enormous profits which would result from the tour of the team, let us go into simple arithmetic. The first fourteen games were attended by 156,000 spectators, who paid two shillings each on an average. This will give the total gate-receipt at £15,600. When all the expenses of the tour are subtracted, the net profits would amount to at least £10,000 or $100,000. This is the profit out of the fourteen games played which goes to the seven individuals who subscribed £1,500 or $15,000. There were eight more games to be played (perhaps more), making 22 or more games and we will let you do some calculation for the final net profit. In spite of this enormous profit, the undersigned were not paid for the expenses we spent for our meals, etc. in Hongkong on our way to Australia.

In conclusion, the undersigned are of the opinion that this is not only a breach of faith with us but a humiliating treatment of the Chinese as a whole by the Commonwealth Soccer Association, inasmuch as the Team had been invited by the said Association to play under its auspices but handed over on arrival to the Company to be treated as "professional showmen" to enrich seven speculating individuals who formed the Company, as had been pointed out by The Referee, the leading sports weekly in Australia.

We urge the National Contest Committee for China to make strong representations in this matter, and we suggest that a letter be addressed to the officials of the Commonwealth Soccer Association, asking for an explanation.

Thanking you for the valuable space,

Yours etc.,
C. S. Wang,
K. O. Shen.

Members of the Chinese Soccer Team which toured Australia in 1923.

Printers Strike Staged In Berlin

(Special to China Press)

Berlin, Nov. 12.—Owing to difference over wages, a wild strike has broken out in the majority of Berlin printing offices, including the Reichsdruckerei. As a result, publication of newspapers as well as printing of bank-notes has been seriously affected.

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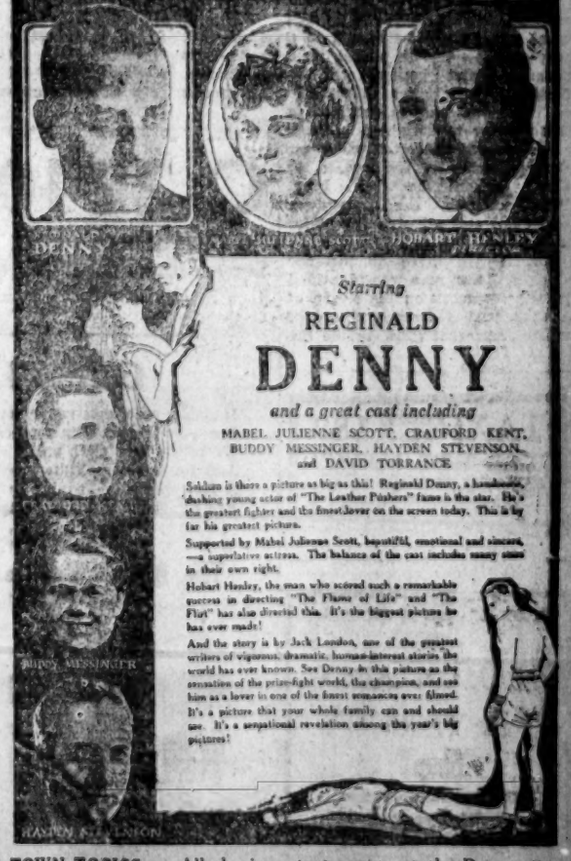
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French Science Leads The World In Crime Detection

Crook A Marvel Who Can Fortify Himself Against The Methods Evolved By Dr. Locard, Bayle And Balthazard—How Clothing, Hair, Instruments Used Act As Evidence

France always has enjoyed in the young American mind the distinction of having the greatest police detective system in the world. The influence of Bertillon—the father of scientific police investigation—on writers of crime fiction probably is the basic reason for this. Or it may be that the scientific and imaginative French mind has produced the best crime fiction; and the Frenchman is not a person who seeks his heroes in other nations and races.

However that may be, France, after Bertillon established the foundation of scientific police investigation, permitted her laboratories t drop behind those of other countries. Lucien Chasaigne, the scientific writer of the Figaro, says the French were surpassed in the application of scientific investigation by Reiss of Lausanne, Stockis of Liege, Ferrer of Madrid, Popp of Berlin and scienists of Brazil and Argentina.

Today, however, France has regained her lead in this work, and fiction writers can do no better than select Frenchmen as the heroes of their detective stories.

How France has retaken the lead in this field is told by Dr. Locard in his book, "Manuel de technique policiere." Dr. Locard's name would have been used in ancient times by the wives of burglars to frighten their children, so well-known has he become from his work as director of the police laboratory at Lyon.

He is France's foremost handwriting expert and last year, in face of opposition offered by a half-dozen other well-known experts, discovered the writer of the famous poison-pen letters of Tulle—which caused three suicides, one case of insanity, a half dozen cases of nervous prostration, a dozen family estrangements, and shattered the social life of an entire city.

Looking through Dr. Locard's excellent review of the methods evolved by Bayle, Balthazard and himself, one must confess that the days of nouveau-rich burglars are passed. In fact, to commit a crime in France today appears like issuing one's self an invitation to prison. Nothing has been overlooked. There is a scientific method for the investigation of every known brand of criminal activity.

Bertillon confounded criminals the world over by his system for fingerprints. But the careful crook nowadays takes precautions to evade the danger. The crook is a marvel, however, who can fortify himself against all the methods described by Dr. Locard. Clothing, hair, any instruments that may be employed, in fact there is nothing that he can wear or use that will not act as evidence against the criminal. They catch and hold evidence either of the crime or the criminal's movements.

If any such object is found at the scene of the crime it will give indications that are invaluable in identifying the criminal. And if a man is suspected of a crime, examination of such objects will help convict or clear him. The paragraphs on the examination of these objects is one of the most interesting in Dr. Locard's manual.

For instance, he suggests that articles of clothing found at the scene of crime or belonging to a suspected person be placed in a paper bag and beaten with a flexible stick for five minutes or so. The dust that is obtained in this manner is examined beneath a microscope; and often will show the profession of the owner, or places where he has been. Plaster, chalk, sand, sawdust, coal dust, etc., all give the police indications.

Dr. Locard gives an instance of a murderer who was identified by the discovery on his sleeve of a winged seed from a clump of vipers-grass that grew beside the scene of the murder. Counterfeiters also have been identified by the discovery of metal dust in their clothing.

Examination of a suspected person's shoes is even more important for discovering his movements, collecting as they do, evidence at his every step. Such examination also will help to indicate the movements of the victim before his death.

One should, Dr. Locard continues, wash a prisoner's fingernails immediately he is arrested. Here one may find blood or organic matter in the case of a murder; dust or powder characteristic of stolen objects, or indications of movements—grease from a cable, paint from a window, etc.

Examination should also be made of car-wax. Any person remaining any length of time in a dust-laden atmosphere will have for some time traces of this dust in his external auditory duct. Coal dust has been found a year later in the ear-wax of a man who shoveled coal for a few weeks. A barber's ears constantly contain particles of hair; a baker's, starch.

The smallest object left behind by a criminal may prove invaluable in identifying and convicting him. Reiss was able to identify a burglar by the butts of several charred paper matches found on the floor of an apartment he had robbed. On a suspect arrested the following day was found a book of paper matches into which these ends fitted.

A hat or any other object of clothing, or the print of a shoe, will help with the Bertillon index to indicate the size of the criminal.

Balthazard has performed a monumental piece of work in working out his medullary index. Police experts are now able to tell if a hair is from a human being or an animal, and if it be human hair whether it belonged to a man or an animal, and if it be human hair whether it belonged to a man or woman, as well as the exact provenance of the hair. It can also be ascertained whether the owner is white, yellow or black, whether the hair has been colored, and what the original color was.

In the event of its being a hair from the head or mustache of a man, it can be determined how often he was accustomed to having his hair or mustache trimmed; and with the hair from a woman's head it can be learned whether she was accustomed to having her hair waved. False hair is easily identified. Science also can distinguish between the hair of sheep, goats, pigs, rats, horses, cats and dogs. Careful observation is made to discover if there are parasites and to identify them.

Every one knows that science now can usually identify blood, determine if it be animal or human, from what part of the body it came, and from what sort of wound. French scientists have done as much as any others to perfect these experiments. There are tests for every imaginable sort of spot or stain; and it is difficult to imagine the French police unable to identify the trade of a criminal, an article of whose clothing has been found.

The natural thought that a criminal is likely to have just one trade—crime is misleading so far as France is concerned. By far the greater part of her murders and felonious attacks are "crimes passionelles."

Naturally a fair amount of Dr. Locard's book is taken up by that subject of which he probably is the greatest authority—handwriting. This subject is extremely difficult to discuss in part, but since Dr. Locard's rise to fame the former popular sport of anonymous letter-writing has fallen into the class of diphtheria and scarlet fever. Counterfeiting likewise has lessened in favor.

In fact, all types of crime are becoming unhealthy, so much so that there are practially only two motivating factors of crime—need and jealousy.

The romantic aspect has died before the scientific treatment. Up till now there has been an element of writers who have placed a jimmy in the hand of their hero and encircled him in the mysterious glamor of a dark lantern. For the sake of verity that type of hero should be gently laid to rest.

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Wang Keh-Ming In Finance Ministry

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 13.—Mr. Wang Keh-ming assumed office today as Minister of Finance.

Mr. Wang's appointment is considered likely to improve the chances of an early settlement of the gold franc question, which is otherwise unaltered, although the French Legation and the Ministries of Finance and Foreign Affairs all announce a desire to terminate the dispute.

AD PEKE qfior.....

Peking, Nov. 13.—General Chin Yun-so has been appointed Commandant of the Fourteenth Division in recognition of his efficient work in bandit suppression.

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